

HAIG REPORTS CAPTURE OF LE-CATEAU

MANY PRISONERS TAKEN IN THE RAPID MOVEMENT OF YANKS AND BRITISH

BULLETIN

COPENHAGEN, Oct. 10.—The German reply to President Wilson's note was drafted at a conference of Prince Maximilian, the imperial German chancellor; Vice-Chancellor von Payer, the ministers and military representatives of the government; this information is contained in a despatch received here from Berlin.

BULLETIN

LONDON, Oct. 10.—The Porte has been advised that Bulgaria is expected to send troops against Turkey in an expedition planned by the entente allies, according to a despatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Amsterdam, quoting advices from Constantinople. The dispatch adds:

"It is thought probable the Bulgarian minister to Turkey will be handed his passports within twenty-four hours."

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PARIS, Oct. 10.—French troops advancing east of St. Quentin have penetrated to a depth of nearly four miles and occupied numerous villages according to the war office statement tonight. South of the Oise in the St. Gobain region, Serveis has been captured and prisoners have been taken. Between the Ailette and the Aisne French and Italian troops advancing on both sides of the Chemin-de-Dames have forced the Germans back beyond the Oise canal.

BULLETIN

LONDON, Oct. 10.—LeCateau has been captured by the British, Field Marshal Haig announces in his report tonight.

The British have advanced rapidly along the whole battle front. They now hold the line of the Selle river from St. Souplet to Solesmes, which represents an advance of about ten miles east of Cambrai.

Many civilians have been found in the captured towns and villages, 2,500 having been liberated in Caudry alone.

WITH THE ANGLO-AMERICAN FORCES ON THE CAMBRAI-ST. QUENTIN SECTOR, Oct. 10.—By the Associated Press.—The British armies continued their rapid movement eastward today, despite desperate resistance which they encountered at times from strong enemy rear-guards who were trying to protect the main bodies of troops now in flight.

The British cavalry, moving astride the Cambrai-LeCateau road captured LeCateau and moved beyond it after overcoming enemy machine gun posts. Just north of here the infantry many hours ago reached Neuville.

The Germans were in some strength on the east side of the Selle River at this point and used their guns vigorously but the town was taken and passed.

Caudry, Inchy and many other towns are burning, as the Germans continue their incendiary and destruction.

Other important advances have been made and notwithstanding the enemy's flight more than 2,000 additional prisoners have been taken since yesterday. One army of three participating in the operation took 59 cannon yesterday and many more today. The others undoubtedly have done as well.

The Germans are still in full flight but resistance from the rear guard appears to have slightly stiffened and it is considered not unlikely that the enemy may try to make a stand on the east bank of the Oise and the Sambre Canal, running northeast of it.

Already the French first army operating south of the British have reached the river at Mezieres, and as they are drawing closer to it northward the British and Americans are approaching it still farther north. The French line at last reports from Mezieres ran west of Regny, east of Marcy to the outskirts of Fontaine, Notre Dame and north of Beaulieu.

There has been hard fighting east of Bohain, but apparently the opposition there has been overcome for continued advances are reported. An attack was launched this morning east of Scheldt Canal and the British penetrated for a considerable distance, leaving the enemy occupied ground to the north in a still deeper and sharper salient. Incidentally the British here are only about five miles from Douai to the north of them. They also are able to place an enfilading fire upon the Germans holding the salient, making it exceedingly uncomfortable for them.

There continues to be indications that the enemy realizes he must get out of here and his plans for the moment very probably have to do with straightening his line northward, all the way to the salient the Belgians and British have made in his positions at Roulers. The Germans made one weak effort to push back the Belgians in this salient early this morning, but the attack failed completely soon after it began, the Belgians pouring in a hot fire.

Cambrai a Ruin

With the Canadian Forces in France, Oct. 10.—By the Canadian Press.—Cambrai tonight is a smoking ruin. The Germans have probably never perpetrated a more ruthless nor more premeditated vandalism than the destruction of this city.

"France can never forget nor forgive this," remarked a French

HEROIC STORY OF FAMOUS AMERICAN "LOST BATTALION"

Surrounded By Germans But Refused To Give Up

WITH THE AMERICAN FORCES NORTHWEST OF VERDUN, Oct. 9.—Wednesday.—(By The Associated Press.)—The brightest spot in the heroic, amazing and, as yet, untold story of the new famous "lost battalion" which belonged to the 77th Division, was the climactic fourth day of the troops beleaguering in the Argonne forest. The men had long been foodless and almost wholly without ammunition, many were weak from exhaustion, but not one despairing, when an American who had been taken prisoner by the Germans suddenly appeared at the little camp surrounded in the valley. He had been sent blindfolded by the German headquarters with a typewritten note to Major Whittlesey reading:

"Americans, you are surrounded. Surrender in the name of humanity. You will be well treated."

Major Whittlesey did not hesitate a second.

"Go to hell!" he shouted.

Then he read the note to those around him and his men, notwithstanding their weariness and hunger, and in imminent danger every moment, they cheered so loudly that the Germans heard them from their observation posts.

Sure of Relief.

None of the battalion could know that relief would come within twenty-four hours, none felt very sure that it would come at all but the same spirit animating them to plunge ahead in a forest to their perilous position made them at that moment and every living man wounded or well in the battalion enthusiastically approved Major Whittlesey's answer.

The composite story gleaned from a dozen soldiers reveals that the battalion when ordered to advance last Friday pushed its way rapidly ahead thru the forest and in its eagerness to catch up with the retreating Germans, gradually spread out and widened its ranks. This allowed the Germans to infiltrate in behind the Americans and they fell directly into the cunning trap which the Germans had set for them.

The enemy had planned to catch the Americans in a hollow surrounded on all four sides by heights. The Americans who fighting and were filled with eagerness dashed into this hollow without stopping to think that the enemy might be awaiting them.

Advanced to Fort.

The battalion was at first checked by its own artillery barrage which had worked steadily forward. Nevertheless it had not worked as fast as the troops themselves and the battalion proceeded half way up the hill and where it waited for the barrage to pass in front. Then it was discovered that the Germans on both sides had pointedly flanked the command and had closed in upon its rear. Sheltered only in shallow and hastily constructed trenches, the men were subjected to a grilling sniping machine gun fire as well as a trench mortar bombardment every time they showed themselves. Only with the greatest difficulty and with extreme caution could they move from place to place and keep guard against surprise attacks.

The battalion had started its meagre rations expecting more to reach them later. These, of course, could no longer be transported to them. It was the greatest good fortune that they were fairly well supplied with water.

Scouting Parties Sent Back.

Nightly and daily too they sent back volunteer scouting parties, but if these reached the positions in the rear without being captured or killed they could not tell for none ever returned. Daily American aviators searching vainly for them flew overhead, but no outcry the men could make brought anything but a volley of shouts and laughter from the Germans in front and behind and to the right and left of them.

On the fourth day men discovered there were German machine gun nests all around them every fifteen feet or so and a man to show himself ever so briefly was a signal for a sweeping rain of bullets. Just for diversion the enemy made a practice of sweeping the whole terrain—the hillsides where the improvised trenches were located and the valley in which the men crawled to get leaves and water—

Fourth Loan Must Be Oversubscribed--Wilson

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—President Wilson today issued this statement on the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign:

"Recent events have enhanced, not lessened, the importance of this loan and I hope that my fellow countrymen will let me say this to them frankly. The best thing that could happen would be that the loan should not only be fully subscribed, but very greatly oversubscribed. We are in the midst of the greatest exercise of the power of this country that has ever been witnessed or been forecast and a single day of relaxation in that effort would be of tragical damage alike to ourselves and to the rest of the world. Nothing has happened which makes it safe or possible to do anything but push our effort to the utmost. The time is critical and the response must be complete."

(Signed) "WOODROW WILSON."

IMPORTANT THAT LIBRARY LOAN BE OVERSUBSCRIBED

St. Louis District is Leading in Percentage Race

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—Over-subscription of the six billion dollar Liberty loan was declared tonight by President Wilson to be a matter of world importance at this critical time.

"Recent events have enhanced, not lessened, the importance of this loan," said the president's statement. "The best thing that could happen would be that the loan should not only be fully subscribed, but very greatly oversubscribed."

Accordingly, instruction will go forth tomorrow to Liberty loan committees everywhere to do even more than in the last eleven days to get every man, woman and youth in America to hold up the hands of the government by buying bonds and more bonds than they have already bought. Americans in the next nine days ending Saturday, October 19, must participate in the biggest outpourings of individual resources ever recorded in any nation.

"Two billions already have been raised—one third of the minimum now sought. To barely touch the six billion mark, new subscriptions at the average rate of \$500,000 a day are needed. An excess over that will be required to fulfill President Wilson's appeal for oversubscription. In the results hereafter will be read the nation's answer. Today's reports added \$233,000,000 to the national total which stood tonight at \$2,024,037,050, or 33.7 per cent of the quota."

The St. Louis district continued to lead in the percentage race and today passed the two-thirds mark. Detroit, Louisville, Hartford, Conn., Fall River, Mass., and Duluth achieved their quotas and announced their intention of going ahead without slackening speed. Detroit is the first city of more than 500,000 population to join the 100 per cent class.

Sale by Districts.

District	Subscription	Pct.
St. Louis	\$174,389,250	67
Minneapolis	112,266,450	53
Boston	235,472,000	47
San Francisco	170,038,450	42
Dallas	48,680,200	38
Chicago	335,294,050	37
Cleveland	189,200,750	31
Rio de Janeiro	87,176,550	31
Philadelphia	133,704,850	26
New York	445,124,000	25
Atlanta	44,225,000	23
Kansas City	58,465,500	22

Managers of the loan campaign are counting strongly on the harvest of pledges next Saturday, Liberty Day to swell the total. Secretary McAdoo today decided to go to Chicago to address a meeting there Saturday evening in the interest of the loan. In St. Louis all theaters, schools and churches were closed on account of influenza and most sales came from house to house canvassing. The Indiana counties still lead the district with 96 per cent of their quota subscribed; Kentucky is second, with 76, and Arkansas, Illinois and Missouri following in the order named.

Chicago, Oct. 10.—Only ten million dollars worth of Liberty bonds were sold in Chicago today leaving the city still \$132,000,000 short of its quota and with only eight more days in which to make up this deficit.

Chicago's quota is \$252,000,000.

WOULD TAX CAMPAIGN CONTRIBUTIONS

Washington, Oct. 10.—Political campaign contributions would be taxed under an amendment to the war revenue bill introduced today by Senator Thomas of Colorado and referred to the senate finance committee, which is revising the house draft of the measure. The amendment provides that all provisions exceeding \$500,000 shall be taxed 100 per cent while lesser amounts would be subjected to lower rates.

IZZET PASHA NEW TURK WAR MINISTER

London, Oct. 10.—The new Turkish war minister is Izzet Pasha, former commander-in-chief of the Turkish forces according to advices received by the Evening News. He is bitterly opposed to the defunct pro-German cabinet.

U. S. STEAMSHIP VICTIM OF "SUB" OFF ATLANTIC

Scores Wounded Or Killed by Shrapnel Fire

AN ATLANTIC PORT, Oct. 10.—Scores of American sailors and soldiers were killed or wounded by shrapnel fired by a German submarine after it had torpedoed the steamship Ticonderoga, 1,700 miles off the Atlantic Coast, according to the story told by twenty survivors who arrived here today aboard a British freighter.

There were 250 men aboard the Ticonderoga, an American steamship of 5,130 tons and all but the 20 who arrived here today are believed to have perished. The survivors got away in the only boat which was not demolished by the shell fire from the submarine, they said.

The Ticonderoga was attacked presumably on Oct. 2, when she fell behind her convoy because of engine trouble.

According to the story of the survivors, the submarine was not sighted until she had sent a torpedo crashing into the side of the ship. The torpedo did not strike a vital spot, however, and the captain ordered on full steam in an effort to escape, the same time ordering the gun crews into action against the submarine, which appeared about a mile off.

Describes Attack.

"Our gun crews did not fire more than five or six shots," one of the survivors said. "The forward gun was shot away almost at once. The after gun and its crew were done for almost as quickly. Then the men went to the boats, but it was no use as the flying shrapnel was spraying the decks and men fell in scores either killed or badly wounded."

Another survivor declared that all of the Ticonderoga's eight life boats with the exception of one were riddled with shrapnel before they could be launched. A number of men who tried to get into the eighth boat were killed by shrapnel as they clambered over the side of the vessel, he said.

"Finally," this survivor continued, "one of our men, in desperation, swam close to the submarine and hailed an officer asking him in God's name to stop firing."

The lieutenant who answered him did so with a loaded revolver saying that if he did not swim back he would shoot him.

"When our boat had only 20 men in it we were ordered alongside the submarine and made to tie up while the shelling of the dead and dying on the sinking ship continued."

"The leader of our boat was asked some questions which he refused to answer and suddenly submerged and only the parting of the rope with which we were tied prevented our going down with it."

One of the survivors said the submarine was of the cruiser type and had the largest gun he ever had seen on a submarine. One of the engineer officers he said, whose room was pierced by a shell from the submarine declared that the shell was an eight inch projectile. Heretofore only six inch guns have been reported on submarines.

The survivors were adrift four days before they were picked up.

WAR LABOR BOARD MAKES NEW RULE

Washington, Oct. 10.—In announcing awards in three labor controversies today the war labor board laid down the rule that no worker shall draw overtime or extra pay unless he works forty-eight hours a week, except where illness or some other just cause prevents.

This policy meets complaints that have come from many war industries that some employees making a practice of laying off during the week to work overtime on Sundays for higher rates of pay. Today's ruling puts this practice under the ban.

FORT SHERIDAN WILL BE HOSPITAL

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—The war department announced today that work has been started on the conversion of Fort Sheridan, Ill., into a base hospital of four thousand beds. The estimated cost of the conversion is \$3,423,000 and when completed the hospital will be one of the largest in the country.

NEW FINNISH KING

Stockholm, Oct. 10.—Prince Frederick Charles of Hesse, brother-in-law of the German emperor, was elected king of Finland on Wednesday night by the Finnish Landtag. The Republican members of the Chamber did not vote.

Senators Debate COLLAPSE OF GERMAN ARMY GREAT SURPRISE

Over President's Reply to Germany Immediate Crushing Military Decision a Possibility

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—President Wilson's note of inquiry in response to the German peace proposal was praised and attacked today in the senate. Senator Pittman of Nevada, Democrat, opened a debate that lasted several hours by criticizing Senator Lodge of Massachusetts, the Republican leader, for issuing a statement commenting unfavorably upon the president's action. The Nevada senator agreed with most of the other leaders in congress who have discussed the matter for publication in approving the reply. He said the criticism of the Republican leader could serve no good purpose and would tend to destroy confidence in the president. Senator Lodge replied, reiterating his disappointment that the president did not reply that nothing short of unconditional surrender by the enemy would be accomplished and his belief that his note opens the way for negotiations of the German rulers with whom the president has said the United States cannot deal.

A similar view was taken by Senator Poindexter, Republican of Washington who expressed the hope that if necessary England and France would refuse to grant an armistice until Germany had surrendered.

No word came to the state department during the day indicating the president's reply had reached the German chancellor, but it was assumed that the edict thru the Swiss foreign office probably some time yesterday. The fact that the chancellor, Prince Maximilian is to address the reichstag Saturday led to the belief that the prince would have his reply ready by that time.

Evidence that Turkey is crumbling and already is almost if not about to appear in reports to the department. There was no confirmation, however, of rumors that the Ottoman government had proposed surrender.

INVESTIGATING CAUSE OF SPANISH INFLUENZA

Public Health Service Also Seeking an Effective Vaccine—12,321 New Cases Reported in Army Camps.

Washington, Oct. 10.—In its fight to stop the spread of Spanish influenza the public health service is investigating the causes of the disease, the conditions which promote its spread and the part played by carriers and epidemics of the malady. It also is seeking an effective vaccine, but an announcement was made tonight that the service has as yet been unable to recommend any that it believes will be successful.

Meanwhile, influenza continues to spread over the country in spite of the strenuous efforts to prevent it. The malady now has reached epidemic proportions in many additional cities.

Conditions at army camps today showed a slight improvement for the second time since the malady became epidemic. Dying the twenty-four hours ending at noon 12,321 new cases were reported to the office of the Surgeon General with 2,797 new cases of pneumonia and 889 deaths. The total of influenza cases reported at army camps since the disease first appeared has now reached 211,006 and pneumonia cases 25,083, and deaths 7,423.

The campaign of the public health service to check the disease among the civilian population is well under way. Nearly 250 physicians are in the field and headquarters have been organized in more than twenty cities in the eastern and southern states.

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GERMAN PEOPLE UNLOADING BONDS

Basel, Switzerland, Oct. 10.—There are persistent rumors among the working classes in Germany according to advices received here that German imperial bonds may become valueless. The rumors have their basis in the repeated entente victories. The people of numerous towns are said to be unloading their war loans at extraordinary low prices and a panic seems imminent. The German newspapers are publishing long appeals in an endeavor to tranquilize public feeling.

GERMAN BONDS STOLEN

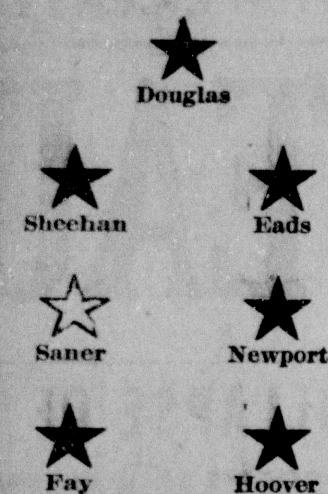
Berlin, Oct. 10.—Via Basel, Switzerland.—A postal sack containing 10,000,000 marks of securities and treasury bonds addressed by the post office to the imperial chateau was stolen the day before yesterday.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois.—Unsettled Friday, possibly showers, Saturday fair, not much change in temperature. Temperatures.—The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Thursday were:

	7 p. m. High.	Low.
Jacksonville, Ill.	66	47
Boston	60	44
Buffalo	60	42
New York	66	48
New Orleans	76	60
Chicago	74	57
Detroit	68	74
Omaha	68	60
Minneapolis	68	52
Helena	68	52
San Francisco	68	54
Winnipeg	56	65
Jacksonville, Fla.	74	63

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Smash the Hun. Buy Liberty Bonds.
Back Pershing's men—buy bonds again.
When the war is won, be proud of what you've done.

The Germans on a submarine shot shrapnel at two hundred and fifty Americans on the deck of a sinking ship. They laughed as the men sank to death. It is such wanton barbarism as this, such unexplainable cruelty that strengthens the determination of the allies to give the Hun a punishment that measures up with the crime. The Kaiser talks about peace and yet his armed cut-throats, certainly with authority and approval perform acts like this, which outstrip the worst records of the dark ages.

Influenza is spreading all over the country. It is prevalent in territory surrounding Jacksonville. There are not many cases here yet, but the time to combat the disease is now. Strict quarantine would cause some present inconvenience, but the small amount of loss and suffering later on. An ounce of prevention is worth more than a pound of cure and the situation is one which demands the most careful and prompt attention of city and health authorities.

A TRULY UNITED CAMPAIGN.

"The President," says Dr. John Mott, director general of the United War Work Campaign of Nov. 11-18, "has raised a standard to which every man and woman in the nation can and will rally. This is not to be a Y. M. C. A. campaign, nor a Knights of Columbus campaign, nor a Salvation Army campaign; it is to be a campaign for the men over there in France and in the cantonments on this side, and on our brave ships everywhere; a campaign for the

maintenance and increase of morale, which Napoleon said is to other factors in war as three to one. The dollars given to the common fund will reach the boys thru seven different channels, but every dollar will be made to do a maximum work."

PROMPT ACTION BY REPUBLICANS.

Congress has taken affirmative action looking to the stamping out of the Spanish influenza that is sweeping over the country. Under the leadership of the two Republican Senators from Massachusetts the Senate adopted, without even a reference to a committee, a resolution appropriating \$1,000,000 to aid the Public Health Service in its fight against the plague. As the resolution had already received the approval of the House it needed but the president's signature to become immediately effective. The day before the action of the House Senator Weeks had presented a similar resolution to the Senate, but he willingly consented that it should be laid aside in order that the action of the House should receive the sanction of the Senate, and the appropriation be made available that much earlier.

NEW METHODS.

The ministers who came from Springfield to speak in the Presbyterian churches of the city discussed some present day topics in a very able and forceful way. The visitors represented a new idea in church programs. There is a certain inspiration and enthusiasm that can be brought in by people from the outside that it is hard to create by "home folks." A visitor can talk more plainly than the speaker people are accustomed to hear.

It does people good to get away from home once in a while, to take a vacation rest and to see new surroundings. On the same principle it does church members good to hear new speakers, to get ideas from outside and no doubt the speakers were benefitted also. Churches today do things differently by comparison with other years and the recent series of addresses formed an interesting part of the revised program.

ILLINOIS MERCHANTS RESPOND.

Records of the State Council of Defense Commercial Economy Administration show that Illinois merchants are pledging themselves by thousands to observe all requests for the conservation of man power.

Among these requests are the one delivery a day system, elimination of special deliveries and the refusal to permit the return of goods kept longer than three days by the purchaser.

The names of all merchants in towns of 2,000 or over in Illinois are on record in the Chicago offices of the Administration, together with responses thus far made. Towns whose merchants are already reported as one hundred per cent loyal are Blue Island, Casey, Centralia, Geneva, Peru, Robinson Sullivan and Vandalia. Twenty other towns are on record as eighty per cent loyal and names are still coming in.

Chicago dry-goods merchants and grocers have completed organizations covering the entire city, and are pledging themselves to observe all rules. In Jacksonville, F. J. Waddell is chairman for the organization work and some definite steps will be taken soon to accomplish the desired results.

OF NO FURTHER USE TO GERMANY.

The concentrated effect of all the horrible things that Germany has done in the war is seen in

the third moving picture prepared by the American Red Cross, and almost ready for release. It shows the sick, the crippled, the diseased, the broken and dying fragments of old men, women and little children driven back into France after having served as German slaves until there is not a day's service left in them. Twice a day for more than 500 days, great trainloads of these repatriates have been shipped across the border at Evian, France. Of every hundred, 60 are children. They suffered from almost every known disease—consumption, diphtheria, measles, scarlet fever, pneumonia, all are common. They are covered with vermin, and they are starved to mere skeletons.

The women are just as broken and suffer even more mental pangs, for the shame that has been put upon them cannot be told. In addition they are kept in Germany and worked until disease has claimed them beyond all hope—then they are sent back home as a millstone about the neck of France.

That is why the picture is called "Of No Use to Germany."

But the picture shows also the work of the American Red Cross, which as a great station at Evian to welcome the returning ones. American doctors examine the children—3,000 a month—and do all that can be done to save them and make them well again. The film will show the marvelous work of physicians and nurses, and the care that is taken of these little ones—most of them orphans, who have been sent home to die.

Some day Germany will hear, for the first time understand the words: "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto the least of these, ye have done it unto Me."

Rippling Rhymes By Walt Mason

The War Machine.

The mighty German war machine is busted in the road; the greatest engine ever seen broke down beneath its load. The wise mechanics flock around and try to make repairs; old Hindenburg, he paws the ground, and Chuffer Wilhelm swears. Says Hindenburg, "This blamed old boat will never run again; it's lost its everlasting goat, and we are hoodooed men." The kromprinz, smeared with mud and grease, crawls from beneath the car, and says, "Perhaps a plea for peace, just now, would travel far. While the old ark could hit the plain at fifty miles an hour, all talk of peace gave me a pain—I glided in its power. But while we pushed it we forgot, methinks, to knock on wood; our Jonah's got us now, I wot, and peace looks pretty good." And then exclaims his haughty sire, "The blame must go your way; you would put on that worn-out tire, that blew out every day. If Me and Gott had run this boat, with none to interfere, I would not mourn my royal coat, which you made disappear." Says Hindenburg, "The motor's works kick up an awful din; we'll have to telephone the Turks to come and haul us in." The war machine is in the ditch, a sad and ghastly wreck, and Wilhelm mourns, in doleful pitch, the windshield round his neck.

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

October 11, 1864—Sanitary Fair for the benefit of sick and wounded Illinois soldiers opened at Quincy, Illinois.

EXEMPTION BOARD NEWS

One hundred and fifteen members of the students army training corps at Illinois college signed their induction papers at the office of the local board yesterday afternoon. The men marched to the square under command of Lieut. Hardwick and were stationed in Central Park, one group at a time going to the board office. The whole program occupied nearly an hour and a half of time and men in the park occupied themselves with hand ball and in singing patriotic songs.

PROPERTY SOLD AT AUCTION.

The E. M. Harlis property at the corner of South West and Marion street was sold at auction yesterday by the Farmers State Bank and Trust Co. as executors. The property was sold to H. H. DeWitt for \$650. Capt. John E. Wright was the auctioneer.

MANCHESTER

Corporal Loyal A. Mehrhoff arrived from Camp Taylor Sunday on a brief furlough.

Mrs. F. F. Clark went to Chapin Saturday to spend a few days with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Boyer of Waverly spent Monday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Boyer. They were accompanied home by Mr. and Mrs. Boyer, who will spend a few days in Waverly.

Mrs. Josephine Rochester returned home Monday from a visit with friends in Havana and Bath. She was accompanied by her cousin, J. H. Daniels and wife of Rockford, who are en route to California to spend the winter.

Stanley Funk of Springfield spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Funk.

Miss Tessie Cochran of Jacksonville was the guest of friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lettze of Chapin spent the week end with relatives here.

Miss Ada Matthews of Waverly spent Saturday and Sunday at her home here.

Women street sweepers are now employed in the suburbs of Philadelphia.

COMMITTEE WILL AID IF EPIDEMIC COMES

Judge Brockhouse Named Chairman of Organization to Combat Influenza—Preparedness Is Slogan and Conditions Elsewhere Show Wisdom of Movement.

M. F. Dunlap as chairman of the Red Cross chapter has been asked to arrange for a local organization to combat influenza. The request came yesterday and Mr. Dunlap appointed Judge E. P. Brockhouse chairman of the committee with authority to select his own associate workers in accordance with the general plan outlined by the Red Cross society. Judge Brockhouse said last night that he would have the committee organization completed within a day or two and that immediate and definite steps will be taken to prepare for a possible spread of the disease.

"Preparedness" is the watchword and it is the intention to organize promptly and efficiently so that there may be co-operation with the local health authorities. Names of nurses will be listed and Judge Brockhouse indicated last night that the registration cards made by women will be of great value to the committee in finding out the names of persons qualified to assist in an emergency resulting from illness. Further the chairman said that it is the purpose to have such arrangements that supplies can be furnished and supplies taken to families under quarantine.

Judging by what is happening in other cities it is easy to imagine a condition wherein whole families may be sick, unable themselves to secure nurses and because of quarantine conditions unable to secure groceries and other supplies. The committee will take care of just such cases. The general and specific work for this important committee is more fully outlined in the following general letter of instruction issued by Red Cross chapters:

Influenza: How Red Cross Chapters Should Help.

Due to the continued spread of Spanish Influenza the United States Surgeon General and the Red Cross have perfected a plan for the purpose of fighting this epidemic:

1. Under the plan approved by National Headquarters the local Red Cross chapters are requested to offer aid at their own expense when the needs are greater than can be provided for by the local health authorities.

2. When the combined resources of the local health authorities and the local Red Cross Chapter are insufficient to meet the local need, the local health officer should appeal for assistance to the State Board of Health.

3. When the State Board of Health is unable to meet the need of any community it will at its discretion appeal to the Federal Public Health Service for needed nursing personnel and hospital supplies and at the same time may also apply directly to the Division Manager of the Red Cross.

In compliance with this arrangement, each Chapter should adopt one or all of the following measures:

1. Should organize a Chapter Committee on Influenza consisting preferably of:
 - (a) The Chairman of the Chapter.
 - (b) A leading Physician.
 - (c) A representative of the local committee on Nursing Service when one exists.
 - (d) The Chairman of the Committee on Nursing Activities.
 - (e) The Chairman of the Home Service Section.
 - (f) The Superintendent of Nurses of local hospital, and such additional members as may be desirable. Similar committees may, when warranted, be formed in Branches. These committees should be organized at once, even though the disease is not prevalent both as a means to prepare for possible local needs and in order to help other communities.
2. Thru this committee, and in consultation with the Public Health Officer, each Chapter should prepare a detailed and accurate statement showing available Nursing Personnel within its jurisdiction. A similar statement should be made of available hospital supplies held by the Chapter.
3. Please report to the local Health Officer exactly what supplies and Nursing Personnel the Chapter can furnish for local use. Such expense is a proper charge against the Chapter's share of war fund. Also please furnish to the Health Officer, upon request, and at Chapter's expense, needed supplies and nursing personnel.
4. Chapters are informed that their local stores of supplies which are suitable for emergency hospital purposes may be used locally for such purposes during this epidemic at the request of the local Health Officer and at the expense of the Chapter. This policy applies regardless of the original purpose of the supplies in question provided the Chapter later replaces them and devotes the replacement to the original purpose.
5. It is desirable that each community should depend upon its own resources to the fullest extent in order to keep all possible surplus of such resources free for use in places where the need is overwhelming. It is, however, exceedingly important that Chapter plans be made in consultation with the local health authority and with the participation of competent medical men and representative graduate nurse.
6. Chapter Committee on Influenza are urged to be alert and resourceful to render any variety of useful service locally which is approved by their local Health

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Social Events

Woman's Missionary Society of First Baptist Church.

A meeting of the Woman's Missionary society of First Baptist church was held Thursday afternoon with Mrs. Laurie of Finley street with a large attendance of members. The devotional were in charge of Mrs. E. O. Mayer and prayer was by Mrs. Laurie. The program was in charge of Mrs. Lois Schram. A resume of the second chapter of An African Trail was given. Miss Etta Massey gave a vocal solo and an excellent report on the association meeting at Ashland was given by Mrs. L. B. Turner. The meeting closed with the singing of a hymn and prayer by Mrs. Gard. A social hour followed the program and the hostess served refreshments.

Wedding Anniversary Observed.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Martin have been married forty years and in observance of that important anniversary the children planned a surprise for them last night. They assembled at the Martin home on West Lafayette avenue, at about 8 o'clock, taking refreshments with them. The company included only the sons and their wives, together with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bridgman and baby son. It was an anniversary for Mr. and Mrs. Bridgman also, who were married just one year ago. Mr. and Mrs. Martin are among the best known people of Morgan county and both have spent all their years in this locality and have the esteem and high regard of all who know them. The hours last night were spent very pleasantly. The company included Mr. and Mrs. J. Edgar Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Martin and son, Charles; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Martin and son, James; Mr. and Mrs. James Martin and daughter Gladys; Mr. and Mrs. Howard Martin and son Harold; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bridgman and son.

INFLUENZA SPREADS.

Among the nearby towns where influenza is causing a great deal of worry are Roadhouse and White Hall. The schools have been closed in these towns and all public gatherings have been forbidden.

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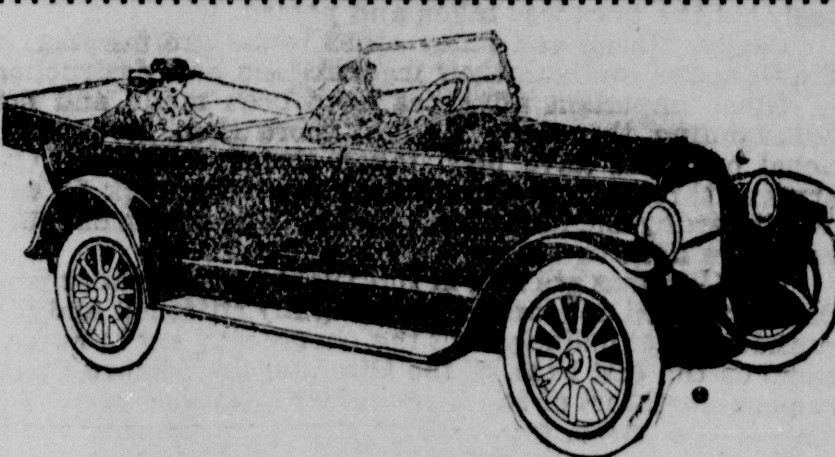
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CITY AND COUNTY

T. E. Cockin was a city arrival from Alexander yesterday.

G. D. Edwards of Evanston was a caller on city people yesterday.

J. H. Anselman was a city arrival from Quincy yesterday.

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W. M. Taylor of Neeleyville was a traveler to the city yesterday.

J. Sullivan of New Berlin was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Fred Duckwall was up to the city from Lynnville yesterday.

Miss Edith Taylor of Chapin was a city shopper yesterday.

A. H. Hinners helped represent Meredosia in the city yesterday.

Miss Maude Taylor of Chapin was a city shopper yesterday.

Miss Abbie Blank was down to the city from Ashland yesterday.

Jacob Strawn was down to the city from Peoria yesterday.

Robert Van Tuyle of Roodhouse was a city visitor yesterday.

Miss Amy Onken of Chapin was a city shopper yesterday.

Mrs. Bert Woods was a city shopper from Franklin yesterday.

W. E. Lancaster, well known attorney from Quincy, was a Jacksonville visitor yesterday.

B. J. Cable, a Springfield real estate man, was in the city yesterday.

E. W. Price of Galesburg was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

William Hudson of Kansas City is in the city for a visit with friends and relatives.

Mrs. T. L. Rickaby of Taylorville was a visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Zula Worrell of Murrayville was among the city shoppers yesterday.

A. L. McDonald of the vicinity of Clark's Chapel was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Charles Muehlert of Beardstown was one of the arrivals in town yesterday.

Earl Huffman of Meredosia was a visitor yesterday with Mr. and Mrs. Howard Zahn of this city.

Frank Wingler of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Charles West of the vicinity of the Point was among the city callers yesterday.

Elmer Hinners and wife were up to the city from Meredosia yesterday.

John Hadden of Joy Prairie was shaking hands with friends in town yesterday.

Mrs. James Johnson and daughter were city arrivals from Arcadia yesterday.

Mrs. George Hall and daughter made a trip from Alexander to the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Sappington of Winchester was among the city callers yesterday.

Miss Rowena Sinclair of Prentice was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Henry Strawn and wife helped represent Alexander in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allison Thomas were city callers from Markham yesterday.

Mrs. Ella Arnold of Beardstown was added to the list of city arrivals yesterday.

Mrs. Mary Elder was down to the city from Springfield yesterday.

Mrs. W. H. Phillips of Clark's Chapel vicinity was a caller in town yesterday.

Charles Middletown of the west part of the county was a caller in town yesterday.

Miss L. Arnold of Beardstown was added to the list of shoppers in town yesterday.

Mrs. Belle Scott of the Oakes was a caller in the city yesterday.

Miss Margaret Oliphant of Franklin was a caller on city friends yesterday.

Mrs. G. A. Leach of the Mound vicinity traveled to the city yesterday.

Emory Wiggs was up to the city from East St. Louis yesterday and attended the John Bull sale.

Elmer Moody of the northeast part of the county was among the callers in the city yesterday.

F. F. Hansmeier of the northwest part of the county was a visitor yesterday.

T. M. McCarty of McCarty Station called on city people yesterday.

Benjamin Placke of Winchester was an arrival in the city yesterday.

Mrs. D. L. Voorhees of Joy Prairie was a shopper with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. J. W. Johnson of Litterberry was a traveler to the city yesterday.

J. W. Collins of the region of Virginia was a caller on city people yesterday.

James Johnson of the vicinity of Arcadia called in the city yesterday.

Henry Placke of the vicinity of Winchester was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Cree Smith of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Ernest Weber of the region of Beardstown was a caller on city people yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward VanBibb helped represent Scottville in the city yesterday.

James Coons and wife were travelers from New Berlin to the city yesterday.

Mrs. Lena Crouse was a city

shopper from Murrayville yesterday.

Mrs. Herman Boston was a city visitor from New Berlin yesterday.

Lee Adams of the east part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Fred Long and family of Pleasant Plains were arrivals in the city yesterday.

George Clayton helped represent Murrayville in the city yesterday.

S. F. Hansmeier and wife were city arrivals from Concord yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pansey Moran were travelers to the city from White Hall yesterday.

Miss Clara Winniger of Griggsville was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Ruel Crum of Litterberry was a caller in the city yesterday and went to the John Bull sale.

Roy Clark was a representative of Murrayville in the city yesterday.

Ohio where he saw lots of wheat sown and found some wonderfully good roads.

C. F. Corrington of the east part of the county transacting business in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ebrey of Durbin were shoppers with city merchants yesterday.

George Lukeman of Lukeman Brothers, clothiers, attended the John Bull sale yesterday.

B. B. Deane made a business trip from Woodson to the city yesterday.

William Vitt was a representative of Meredosia in the city yesterday.

F. W. Riddleberger of Brocton was a visitor with city friends yesterday.

M. J. Dolan was a traveler to the city from Springfield yesterday.

Mrs. H. H. Scott and two sons were city arrivals from Alton yesterday.

J. H. Goolby of Prisner was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Henry Bunsen of Tallula was added to the list of city visitors yesterday.

H. Atwell made a business trip from Springfield to the city yesterday.

T. T. F. Schmitz of Streator was a visitor in the city yesterday.

F. J. Franklin of Pasadena, California, is visiting friends in the city.

William Mayer of Meredosia was a traveler to the city yesterday.

Gus Henry made a business trip from Murrayville to the city yesterday.

Dr. T. E. Hamilton of Springfield made a business trip to the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael have returned to their home in Geneseo after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wesley James and other friends.

Charles Swain of the vicinity of Berea was a traveler to the city yesterday. The gentleman has recently returned from a trip to Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Conkling and daughter Adie were over to the city from Griggsville yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Crum of Litterberry called in the city yesterday and Mr. Crum went on to the Bull sale.

Mrs. J. V. Richardson of the Point was a city caller yesterday. The lady now owns an auto and drives it too and is gaining much in health.

D. S. Taylor of the north part of the county was in the city yesterday on his way back from the John Bull sale.

Ernest Pearson, manager of the Jacksonville branch of the Luby Davis Drug store, spent yesterday in Chicago.

Richard Leake of the northwest part of the county was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Robert Cauder of Kenda City, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Buffe, will leave today for a visit in Chicago.

Louis Angelo has returned from Springfield where he went to be examined for admission to the medical corps. He passed all right.

Mayor H. J. Rodgers, Henry Frisch, Charles B. Graff and Prof. T. P. Carter were among the people at the John Bull sale yesterday.

Mrs. George K. Jones, 416 West Court street, returned from Oakford, where she went to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bell.

C. E. Allen who has been for a good while in the store of Rabjohns & Reid, has changed his place of occupation and is now with Swift and Co. in the dairy department. He will do some traveling and have charge of the department.

Rev. E. B. Landis was in Springfield attending the gathering of Presbyterian ministers and today he goes again to the capital city to be present at the meeting of the home missionary committee of the Springfield presbytery.

Mr. and Mrs. Yates Spears of Tallula enjoyed a visit with Jacksonville friends yesterday. The gentleman is a son of the late George C. Spears so widely known in Menard county and elsewhere.

J. H. McDonald, Miss Alice Mutch and Mrs. Lucy Dahman and son Mack were all up to the city from Winchester yesterday to see Walter McDonald, a patient who is improving.

The venerable George Rentchler of Concord was a visitor yesterday with his old time friend, S. A. Fairbank. He, that is, Mr. Rentchler, is 81 years old and is yet quite lively and active though hardly able to do as much work in a day as he did fifty years ago.

C. L. DePew has returned from St. Louis where he went to attend the great convention of the Christian church which was called off by the authorities on account of influenza. A. C. Rice and some others intended to go but heard of the discontinuance in time.

Clarence Preston of South Clay avenue has returned from a visit with friends in Champaign county. He also visited Rantoul where

he saw 22 airplanes sailing at one time. He says there is a great deal of wheat sown in that region. He saw one field containing 500 acres.

Mrs. Enoch Fry and son Fred, of Riggsboro were in the city yesterday, having come to town to today to bring Percy Fry to the train to start for his command at Fort Hancock, N. J., at the end of his ten days furlough.

In the window of Bonansinga's fruit and confectionery store are some large persimmon tree branches well loaded with delicious fruit. It makes one think of boyhood days when it was a naughty trick to get a person not acquainted with the fruit to taste one before it had been frosted and then laugh at the fearful puckers of the victim.

See the big line of Cooper union suits, \$1.50 to \$3.50 at Tomlinson's.

WHEAT PRICES STILL UNDER CONSIDERATION

Food Administration Representative Here Yesterday Says Only Eight Cent Margin Will Be Allowed Elevators.

A representative of the food administration, was in Jacksonville yesterday on business related to Morgan county elevators. He is the same department man who visited Jacksonville and various towns in the county a number of weeks ago. The visitor stated yesterday that the government has fully determined, after a thorough investigation, to require elevator men to pay for wheat not less than 8c below the Chicago and St. Louis basic price.

It means that the elevator men are allowed to charge 8c for the handling of grain for the shrinkage and for profit. This, the department declares, is sufficient margin to secure the elevator man a fair return upon his investment, and such a margin will give the farmers the full benefit of the price fixed by the government. Wheat prices paid in Morgan county during the harvest season varied from \$2 to as high as \$2.15, while the basic Chicago price for wheat is \$2.26.

The department agent said yesterday that the government is going to require elevator men who did not buy wheat on the margin indicated above, to pay to persons from whom they have purchased wheat the difference in price. It is understood that the government will insist on this course and that elevator men must meet this condition or subject themselves to cancellation of license to do business.

DIED SUDDENLY AT BEARDSTOWN.

The death of Mrs. Samuel Foster occurred recently at the home of her sister, Mrs. Patrick Butler, of Beardstown. The deceased before her marriage was Miss Dora Adler and she was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lorenzo Adler, known to many Jacksonville people. A few months ago Mr. and Mrs. Foster removed from Beardstown to California. Recently Mrs. Foster came from the coast to Beardstown, having been called on account of the accident to her father. While here she contracted an ailment which resulted in her death.

Deceased is survived by her husband and a son three years of age. No arrangements for the funeral can be made until Mr. Foster arrives from California.

Mrs. L. W. Chambers and her daughter, Miss Marie, who have been at Albion, Mich., with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kennedy, are in Jacksonville for a few days. They are now guests at the home of Mrs. Eleanor Moore.

Mrs. Albert Duckett of Sanlucky street has gone to Kansas City for a visit at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Anderson.

CONVENTION HELD.

The Convention of the Disciples of Christ, which was held in St. Louis, Oct. 9 to 13, had to be called off on account of the epidemic of influenza. Oct. 1st, 1918 closed the National missionary year of the Christian churches. Notwithstanding that M. L. Pontius, the pastor of the local church, has spent three months in Camp Logan and Camp Grant during the year, was speaker on a Liberty Loan train last spring and is now absent as manager of a Liberty Loan train touring the 8th Federal district, the Central Christian church has met all of its missionary apportionments which including the Anti-Saloon League receipts have amounted to over \$2,000 for the missionary year. A definite program has been arranged for the winter.

VARIETY SALE.

A variety sale will be held at the McFarlane building on West State street, formerly used for the Red Cross shop, beginning next Tuesday, Oct. 15, and continuing thru Saturday. All people who want to aid the cause are asked to bring clothing, furniture, vegetables, grain, canned goods or other supplies. All these things will be included in the sale and the proceeds will go to the Red Cross work.

HEDGE REMOVED.

The hedge which for many years has marked the east boundary of the School for the Deaf grounds, has recently been removed under the direction of Supt. White. The hedge had died out in several places and in its condition was neither an ornament or a benefit to the property.

GOING OVERSEAS.

Lieut. Giles M. Findley of Brownstown, Ind., a brother of J. S. Findley, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., is soon to leave for overseas service. Lieut. Findley has been stationed at Newport News as an instructor and recently received his commission.

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AGED PIKE COUNTY RESIDENT DIES

Mrs. Mary Taylor Passed Away Sunday at Age of Ninety-Two Years—Many Attended Catholic Celebration in Springfield Sunday—Other Griggsville News.

Griggsville, Oct. 8. — Thomas Fox spent Sunday in Springfield and attended a centennial celebration given by the Catholics of Illinois.

Mrs. M. Driscoll is visiting her son, D. R. Driscoll and family in Springfield.

Arthur Stauffer bookkeeper at the Wabash depot is moving to his residence property near the depot for the winter.

Mrs. Myrtle Hildebrand of Springfield is visiting her father James Harrison.

Mrs. Mary Taylor aged 92 years died Sunday afternoon after a long illness. For fourteen years she has made her home with her niece, Mrs. Will Stone. Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon at the Episcopal church in charge of Rev. Mr. Atchison.

NOTICE Directors of the Morgan county Red Cross will meet tonight at 7:30 o'clock in the Red Cross rooms in the public library.

Mrs. Lillian King, Secy.

GUEST AT CRABTREE HOME. Lieut. A. Newberry Choyce who was in Jacksonville to make a Liberty loan address last night, was a guest of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Crabtree while in the city.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

For County Clerk I hereby announce myself as the duly nominated candidate on the Republican ticket for the office of county clerk, subject to election Tuesday, Nov. 5, 1918.

At the recent Republican primary I was nominated for the office of assessor and treasurer and will seek that office at the election in November. Your support will be appreciated.

Grant Graff.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for sheriff of Morgan county on the Republican ticket. I stand for a clean, efficient administration.

Vincent R. Riley.

FRANKLIN

Miss Helen Massie of the I. W. C. is home this week on account of illness in the college.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Morris and daughter, Mrs. Mary Kirby, Mrs. Sarah Hill and daughter, Grace, were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Sturgis.

Miss Ethel Whitlock, who teaches at Murrayville, visited

over Sunday, with her parents, C. J. Whitlock and wife.

Claud Hart of Camp Shelby, Miss., is here, having been called home by the death of his brother, Chester.

FOR SALE

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1 lb. 4 oz. can Luncheon Bean wit tomato sauce, special at 15c can.

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WAR SUMMARY

Views of Activities On Various Battle Fronts in Summarized Form By Associated Press.

The men of the once formidable German armies holding the Hindenburg line from north of Cambrai to St. Quentin are facing eastward, defeated and in retreat. Their backs are the targets for the British, Americans and French troops, who bitterly fought them, step by step, out of supposedly impregnable defenses and now harrying them across open country toward the German border. No where is the enemy attempting a stand in force. True the German border is yet a long distance away; but the past two days of chase have materially decreased the width of the area separating the invaders from their own Rhine line.

LeCateau, the important junction point 12 miles southeast of Cambrai represented tonight the point of deepest penetration by the allied troops. The British were the masters of it. All along the front the British, American and French have been steadily pressing forward their infantry forces taking numerous towns and villages while far in advance of them the hoof beats of cavalry horses intermingled with the roar of the whiplike tanks and the staccato barking of the machine guns inside the moving forts.

So fast has been the retreat of the enemy that at various points the allied forces almost lost contact with him. The retreat which

is over a front of about 35 miles from the south of Douai to the region east of St. Quentin has left in the hands of the allies in addition to the towns taken valuable lines of communication and strategic positions of high importance and driven in a wedge that seemingly will force the Germans everywhere from the North Sea to the vicinity of Verdun to fall back. Southeast of Douai one of the remaining strong points in the German line in the north the British are standing at Etrun, twelve miles southwest of Valenciennes, the pivot point in the enemy's known next defense line and ten miles to the south the city is outflanked at Solesmes.

Meanwhile the French and American armies on that part of the line running from northwest of Rheims to the Meuse River are still pressing forward in the converging movement with the armies in the west and gradually are forming the entire war theater into a huge sack. The Americans continue slowly to advance upon the eastern side of the Meuse while west of the river in conjunction with the French they have all but obliterated the great Argonne forest as an enemy defense position. To the west of the forest in the Aisne valley and still further westward the French also have made further gains. Throughout this entire region the Germans still are offering stubborn resistance mainly with machine guns, realizing the importance of holding back their "toos" while their armies in Belgium and farther south make road their retrograde movement.

Both in the Macedonian theatre and in Palestine the allied forces are pressing the enemy hard. Albania is fast being cleared of the Austro-Hungarian troops, while in Serbia the enemy is nearing Nish, harassed by the Serbs. At last account General Allenby was still driving the Ottoman troops northward in Palestine.

So lightning-like are the maneuvers of the Allies' armies on the various battle fronts—from the North Sea to Verdun, in Macedonia and in Palestine—that except to the war expert and his military maps constantly before him, it is almost impossible to visualize the situation and realize the swift strides the Allies are making in defeating the common enemy. In France and Belgium in three weeks, five important cities which had been in German hands for four years, have been recaptured. Dixmude, Armentieres, Lens, Cambrai and St. Quentin are now in Allied hands while Liege, Douai and Valenciennes seemingly are all but recaptured. Serbia shortly is to be fully re-claimed and the Turks soon will know Holy Land no more.

OCEAN TO OCEAN MAIL SERVICE

Chicago, Oct. 10.—Captain B. Lippner, in charge of airplane mail service, who was in Chicago today, said that airplane service between New York and San Francisco would be started soon. He predicted that in three years all letters would be carried by the air route.

WILL CARRY OXYGEN TANKS
Washington, Oct. 10.—Oxygen tanks containing sufficient air for six to eight hours' breathing will be carried aloft here after by every American aviator going over the German lines in combat or bombing air planes and by pilots and observers of reconnaissance planes going higher than 15,000 feet.

URGED TO EXPEDITE BILL

Washington, Oct. 10.—At the request of General Pershing the war department today asked Chairman Chamberlain of the senate military committee to expedite the bill authorizing the government to reimburse citizens of France to whom American soldiers who have died were indebted.

A. G. Burr, now of Chicago and formerly of this city, was a visitor here yesterday. His son, Albert Van Burr, has recently enlisted in the army service.

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS

OTTAWA, Ont., Oct. 10.—The name of C. Verplaat, Kewanee, Ill., was contained among the list of wounded in today's overseas casualty list.

PARIS, Oct. 10.—William G. Sharp, the American ambassador was the first civilian to enter the captured city of St. Quentin after the mayor. The ambassador also paid a visit to Noyon, Ham and Soissons.

A BRITISH PORT, Monday, Oct. 7.—By The Associated Press.—The Japanese Steamship Hiranomaru of 7,937 tons gross has been torpedoed and sunk. It is feared that 300 lives were lost.

LONDON, Oct. 10.—Viscount Grey, the former secretary for foreign affairs in the first speech he has made in two years said he thought peace was within sight but not within reach. He praised the wisdom of President Wilson's reply to the German note.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 10.—The daylight saving law would remain in effect until rescinded by congress under a bill passed today by the senate. The measure which was endorsed by Chairman Baugh of the war industries board, in the interest of fuel economy now goes to the house. Under the present law the clocks would be turned back an hour on October 27.

ELM GROVE

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutton, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ranson and daughter, Fay, were Beardstown visitors Wednesday.

Mr. John Walsh received word of the death of his nephew, George McGrath, at his home south of Murrayville.

Mrs. Will Ranson spent Wednesday afternoon with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Potter.

Miss Mary Fearnheyhough and Mrs. Floyd Allen spent Tuesday with Mrs. Lon Fearnheyhough.

Master George Griffin visited Sunday with Floyd Angelo.

Miss Rosa Flynn and brothers, William and George, were Jacksonville visitors Friday afternoon.

The Grove was well represented in Jacksonville Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sutton, of Rigston, and son, Earl, were Sunday guests at the home of Mrs. J. T. Ranson.

Mrs. Mary Ranson of Jacksonville spent Sunday at the home of her son, E. A. Ranson.

Mrs. George Flagg of Lynnville was a Sunday visitor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hamel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ranson spent Sunday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Barnhart.

Mrs. John Welsh received word of the death of her nephew, Willie Hanning at Camp Merritt, New Jersey.

Miss Sylvia Curtis of Jacksonville is spending a few days with her brother, W. S. Curtis and wife.

Yates Potter is on the sick list. Mrs. Mary E. Tucker who has returned from a visit in Chicago spent Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Angelo and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Ranson and daughter, Fay, and Miss Ruth Hamel attended the funeral of Louise Leach at Rigston M. E. church Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. John Welsh and son John, and daughter, Mary, were Jacksonville visitors Tuesday.

Miss Hazel Rickman of Chicago spent a few days the latter part of the week with her aunt, Mrs. Walter Angelo and family.

ZION

James Gibson is sick. Mr. and Mrs. Ted Simmons and son spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. William Blakeman.

Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Douglas were Jacksonville visitors Saturday.

Mrs. John Maloney and son called on Mrs. James Gibson Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Carey Simmons and family of Manchester spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Short.

Mr. and Mrs. Long of Richwoods spent Sunday with their son Ernest Long and family.

Mrs. Cal Hart spent Thursday with Mrs. Will Hart.

Mrs. Cal Hart and Mrs. Will Hart called on Mrs. Rosa Rousey Saturday afternoon.

Miss Helen Rousey and Luther Douglas spent Sunday with Miss Martha Seymour near Franklin.

Mrs. Henry Wells of Franklin, Mrs. George Durham and Mrs. Charles Stromett called on Mrs. James Gibson Monday afternoon.

Miss Beth Bracewell is detained from her school duties this week by illness.

Miss Ethel Spaulding returned home Sunday after a week's visit with her aunt, near Jacksonville.

James Gibson will hold a public sale at his residence, 4 1-2 miles southeast of Murrayville and 1-2 mile east of Zion church October 16th. The Red Cross people will serve lunch.

C. A. Rousey butchered a beef Tuesday.

S. A. Bracewell went to the apple orchard Monday.

Cal Hart and son were business visitors at the home of Zed Bell north of Jacksonville Monday.

Miss Beth Bracewell visited Miss Mabel Bolton Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Langdon and son Marion spent Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Bracewell.

William Still and wife were shoppers in Roodhouse one day last week.

Dr. Giller of Roodhouse was called out to Alfred Lamb's Sunday to see a sick calf.

WOMAN'S COLLEGE UNDER QUARANTINE

No Case of Sickness Exists But Authorities Take Step to Prevent Coming of Influenza.

Rev. Charles Nyman, vice president of Illinois Woman's college stated last night that the college had voluntarily gone into quarantine to prevent the spread of influenza. "We haven't a single case of sickness," said Mr. Nyman, "but we do not want any and believe because of the prevalence of the disease that a voluntary quarantine is the course of wisdom."

There will be no week end visitors at the college and all of the young women living in the building will be expected to remain there. There will be special services within the college Sunday and until further notice the students will not attend any gatherings outside the grounds. Day pupils are expected to observe the spirit of these regulations and while they are not required to remain within the college buildings they are not expected to attend any public gatherings or to "take chances" with the disease. Mr. Nyman has taken the trouble to address a letter to the parents of all of the young women in the building, telling of conditions there and assuring them that no cases of influenza now exist and that every precaution is being taken to prevent any inroads from the disease.

WITH THE SICK

Clarence Spaulding is ill at Passavant hospital. He is a student at Illinois college and his many friends are hoping for his early recovery.

INFLUENZA RULES.

The following regulations with reference to influenza have been received by Capt. Allen M. King, city health physician from the state board of health.

1. Every physician or other person having knowledge of known or suspected case of influenza shall report the same to the local health authorities.

2. Any person having influenza shall be confined to a large well ventilated room of proper temperature, as remote from other occupants of the premises as practicable.

None other than the necessary medical and nursing attendants shall enter the sick room or come in contact with the patient. The attendant should wear a face mask of gauze in the sick room.

All discharges from the respiratory tract, mouth, throat and nose of the patient shall be received in cloths, which shall be urned immediately after using, or in vessels containing an approved disinfecting solution.

3. No cases of influenza shall be removed from the premises on which it is discovered except with the permission of the local health authorities.

Upon termination of the case, the premises occupied by the patient shall be given a thorough cleansing, airing and sunning.

5. Spitting in public places during the outbreak of the disease should be prohibited.

6. Public funerals are permissible in cases of influenza when the body of the deceased person is properly embalmed, or if not embalmed, when it is enclosed in a tight casket. The cover should not be removed in the presence of the public.

7. Officers who fail to enforce these rules and persons who violate them, subject themselves to a fine of not to exceed \$200 for each offense, or to imprisonment in the county jail, not to exceed six months, or both.

YATESVILLE

William Smith and wife of Sinclair spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's sister, Mrs. Henry Means.

Mr. Hanning received a telegram from his son in Camp Merritt Sunday stating that the son was seriously ill.

Jack Kavenaugh in Camp Taylor is seriously ill with pneumonia.

K. Green made a business trip to Arenzville Monday.

Marion Means and his brother John from near Sinclair visited their uncle, Henry Means, Sunday afternoon.

Wm. Collins and family of Virginia visited Mike Cashin Sunday.

Fred Winner and family visited Mr. Winner's brother, Newt, here Sunday.

Louise Henderson and her cousin, Edward Conover, visited Girtle Green Sunday.

Mrs. Mabel Miner of Alton visited her brother Ollie Moore and wife the last of last week.

SHILOH

Mrs. Sarah Holman entertained at dinner Thursday, Mrs. George Gouveia and Mrs. Walker Henderson of Ebenezer neighborhood, Mrs. Robert Nunes and children of Jacksonville.

Mrs. Claude Servis and mother-in-law Mrs. Panny Lewis of this vicinity and Mrs. J. R. Black also joined the circle in the afternoon.

Henry and Bill Black spent Sunday at the home of Dick Black.

Berlie Bridges spent Sunday with Wm. Bourne and family.

J. R. Black and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Black of Jacksonville Sunday.

Spencer Carpenter was a business visitor in this vicinity Monday.

William Linsay and family were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Ward at Sinclair Sunday.

Brother Wetzel is conducting a revival meeting at Shiloh. Brother Gibbs assisted him Tuesday evening, which was enjoyed by all. Everybody invited to attend.

In Italy women are privileged to vote in the parliamentary elections.

MATRIMONIAL

Berry-Hornbeck.
On Thursday October 10th at the residence of Rev. J. O. Kirkpatrick occurred the marriage of Miss Alice Hornbeck of Pittsfield, Illinois, and George R. Berry, a prominent farmer of Merritt, Scott County. The ceremony was said at three o'clock and was witnessed by a few relatives of the contracting parties. The bride was gowned in a suit of Havana Brown chiffon, broadcloth and satin, with a hat to match.

Miss Hornbeck is a member of one of Pike County's oldest and best known families. Her mother and father's families coming from Kentucky in an early day. Her mother's great grandfather, James A. Berry, came with LaFayette from Paris. All of Miss Hornbeck's ancestors being Revolutionary patriots. Miss Hornbeck's ancestor's being Revolutionary patriots. Of years one of Pike county's most efficient teachers. She is also a prominent church worker in the Christian church. For a number of years she was a Bible School evangelist. Her work taking her to the coast and west. There she made many friends. She is considered a public speaker of much ability. She with Elder C. N. Ross, established the Christian church of Beardstown.

George R. Berry was born and raised near Merritt. He like his bride was a successful teacher; is also a prominent member of the M. E. church.

In Merritt, where he is superintendent of the Bible school. Mr. Berry is a farmer, having spent almost his entire life on the farm where he now resides.

Mr. Berry has filled numerous positions of trust and honor. His friends are as numerous as his acquaintances, who wish for him and his bride, the greatest of happiness.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry will be at home after Nov 1st.

WITH THE SICK

Gladys and Ethel Carroll, little daughters of W. F. Carroll, are getting along nicely after being operated on for appendicitis by Doctors Frank and Reid.

Commissioner Joshua Vasconcellos, who has been ill for a number of days with influenza, is now improving and hopes to be out in the course of a few days.

Mention has previously been made of the illness of Mrs. Elizabeth Bancroft, who is suffering from pneumonia at her home on West State street. Mrs. Bancroft's condition is still serious although she was slightly improved yesterday.

Reports from the family of Jed Cox, ill with pneumonia, indicate that they are now on the way to recovery.

Mrs. F. L. Ledford is ill at her home on South Main street.

BIRTH RECORD

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Foster of Lockhart, Minn., on Sept 30th, a 10 pound son. Mrs. Foster was formerly Miss Sylvia Roney of this city.

CHAPIN HORSE

SHOW POSTPONED
The horse show announced for Chapin Saturday, Oct. 12, has been postponed on account of the prevalence of contagious diseases.

There are a number of people ill in the community and because of general health conditions it is not deemed wise to have a large assemblage in the town.

HENRY NASBY BETTER.

Henry Nasby is ill at Camp Grant with influenza according to a letter received by his brother, Clarence, but is recovering. Henry Nasby is now a sergeant bugler and plays in the 812th infantry band. He spends a part of his time in the motor truck service.

ILL AT CAMP LEE.

Frank Wannamaker, who is in the army service, is ill at Camp Lee, Va., with influenza, according to a telegram received yesterday by his father, Howard Wannamaker. The indications are, however, that the young man is not in a serious condition.

SUIT FILED IN

CIRCUIT COURT.
In the circuit court a bill to quiet title has been filed by W. W. Wright as attorney for Mrs. Lavina Gibson, who is bringing suit against Henry Bueckhe et al. The land in question is located in 15-13-9.

LITERBERRY

Quite a number from here attended the convention of the Baptist church in Ashland last week. This community was saddened by the death of Wm. Hanning at Camp Merritt, Monday. He was well known around here and his family have the sympathy of the entire neighborhood. His death is the first of the soldiers in our part of the county.

J. S. Hitchens is enjoying a visit with his two sisters from Mowqua, Ill.

Misses Olive Hitchens and Anabel Crum of Jacksonville spent Sunday with home folks.

Word has been received by a telegram that Ed Litter is ill at a hospital in Camp Taylor. We hope not seriously.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lewis of Prentice visited home folks here Monday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. George Decker, Wednesday of last week, a 9 pound son.

There are rumors of a wedding in our town.

Mrs. Harry Martin and son George of Sinclair were business visitors here Tuesday.

Relatives of Burd Litter received word that he had been quite sick with influenza at a hospital in Georgia.

Mrs. John Martin and son Floyd returned home Saturday after a visit in Monticello with relatives.

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DEATHS

Neal.

Mrs. Mary Roodhouse Neal died of pernicious anemia at 7 p. m. yesterday evening at Our Savior's hospital.

Deceased was born in Roodhouse May 15, 1888 and was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Roodhouse. She was reared in the place of her birth and received the advantages offered by that place and grew to a beautiful womanhood.

August 15, 1907, she was married to Dee K. Neal with whom she lived happily until death called her from earth. She was a faithful member of the Methodist church and devoted in her family, a good neighbor and a valuable friend.

She is survived by her husband, two daughters, Jane and Mildred, her parents, three brothers and two sisters.

The remains will be taken to Roodhouse today and arrangements for the funeral will be made later.

McGrath.

George J. McGrath died at the family home south of Murrayville Thursday morning at 12:30 o'clock after an illness of a few days, of pneumonia.

Deceased was the son of William and Katherine McGrath and was born near Woodson, June 3, 1898. He followed the occupation of farming and was a man highly regarded by a large circle of friends.

Besides his mother he is survived by the following: William,

James, Michael, Francis, Thomas and Edward McGrath, and Mrs. Margaret Loneragan and Miss Mary McGrath.

Funeral services will be held from St. Bartholomew's church, Murrayville, Saturday morning at 9:30 o'clock, with burial in the Catholic cemetery near Murrayville.

BRITISH HURL TONS OF SHELLS.

Washington, Oct. 10.—British Wireless Service.—During fifteen successive days recently the British artillery hurled more than 10,000 tons of shells a day upon the enemy according to a statement by Winston Spencer Churchill, the minister of munitions.

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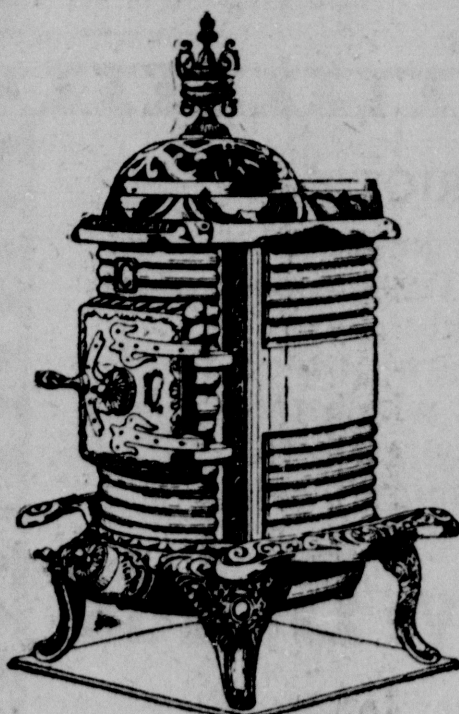
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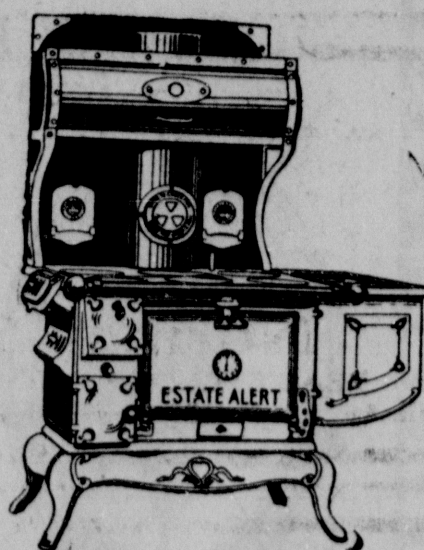
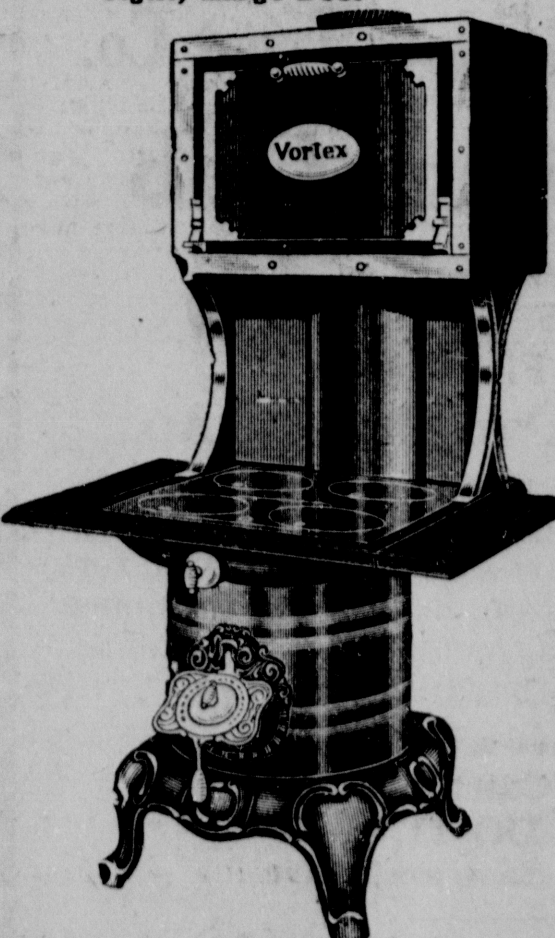
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LARGE ASSEMBLAGE TO HEAR
LIEUT. CHOYCE AT CHRIST-
IAN CHURCH.

Speaker, Member of Famous Tiger
Regiment, Has Had Marvelous
War Career—Message from
England Shows Deep Relation-
ship Between British and Amer-
icans.

Lieut. A. N. Choyce of the Eng-
lish Tickers made an address at
Christian Church last night
before a large audience. It
was indeed a splendid war time
story and the people present
found that the advance enconiums
heaped upon the lieutenant had
been well placed. The visitor who
has had wide literary training
speaks from an abundant experi-
ence in this great war.

Lieut. Choyce was escorted to
the church by the Patriotic Drum
corps and the Boy Scouts, and as
they passed down the aisle the
drum corps played Yankee Doodle.
Rev. W. E. Collins then led the
assembly in the singing of several
patriotic airs, including "The Star
Spangled Banner," "Keep the
Home Fires Burning," "Over
There," "Buy a Bond," and the
new Liberty bond song "For
Your Boy and Mine."

Lieut. Choyce said in part: "If
you were to ask a British soldier
what was the highest honor to
which he could rise he would
state that it was to be a soldier
in the army of his Majesty, King
George. There is only one honor
in the world as great as that and
that is to be a soldier in the
army of the United States of
America. My country has given
me an additional honor—that of
being the youngest member of a
lecturing mission to this country
to bring a message from the Brit-

ish Empire during our Liberty
bond campaign. I feel I have a
right to bring a message to the
people of America for two reasons.
"One of them is this: of all
the countries on the earth, no man
has a better right to bring a mes-
sage to America than an English-
man, because of all the nations
on the earth the blood that flows
in his veins is surely most akin
to the blood that flows in the
veins of your boys over there.
The other reason is this: I had
the privilege during a few short
months to do a very little for my
country, but my England has had
the privilege during three long
years of doing much for these
United States of America. Ger-
man propagandists made an effort
at the outbreak of the war to
shout down the name of Great
Britain in your United States.
They thought to keep America out
of the war, but you know how
gloriously they failed."

Welcomed in England.
"You have not only 2,000,000
men in France but nearly 1,500,-
000 of those men have marched
thru my country, and I know that
when they come back home no
man will dare to breathe in their
presence a word against Great
Britain. The reception we gave
them was great. And when the
British Tommy saw those stalwart
sons of yours he said, 'Thank God
these American boys have come
over to fight for us and not
against us.'"

"I am going to tell you some-
thing about the hardships of the
trench warfare in winter. Be-
cause Germany asks for peace,
you must not think your boys are
going to start back home before
Christmas. It is absolutely im-
possible to keep the trenches in
Flanders free from mud. You
stand in it all day and dream
about it all night. And when the
cold days come it is utterly im-
possible to keep the men long in
the trenches at one time. The
dugouts are not comfortable, cer-
tainly. The men are not comfortable
and yet they do not complain, but
cheerfully make the best of con-
ditions little dreamed of by you
people. And I want to tell you
something about the trench life.
I know it is not a very nice word,
but when your boy is at the front
and you know he has his share of
lice, it doesn't matter whether you
live in a palace or a hovel, you
start talking about lice. I noticed
not long since when the Amer-
ican doctors are trying to find a
remedy for these pests of the sol-
dier's life. I would not speak
disparagingly of your skillful
American doctors, but I am look-
ing anxiously for the American
doctor who finds a remedy to kill
the lice in the front line trenches.
And the rats! They nibble every-
thing, even your face and hands
if you leave them uncovered. The
only way to keep them away is to
wrap yourself in your blanket
until you almost stifle. They
crawl over the dead bodies in no
man's land half the night and
then crawl over your face the
other half."

Hunting in Flanders.
"They told me in Wyoming,
where I began my tour in this
country, lecturing to the cowboys,
that if I would come back in the
fall of the year they would show
me some good big hunting. I
thought to myself that I knew
where there was some good big
hunting all the year thru and that
it is in Flanders' fields, hunting
rats, lice and Germans. It is

all the same kind of hunting be-
cause sooner or later it comes to
the same end—sooner or later you
get your rat, sooner or later you
get your louse, and, by the help
of God, sooner or later you get
your German."

"You have not heard much about
Belgian atrocities committed
by German soldiers, but don't
think for a moment that the al-
lied soldiers have forgotten them.
Before your country or mine ever
dreams of peace every one of
those atrocities will be dragged
out and Germany will be made to
pay for them all."

Law Violations.
"International law says no na-
tion shall use poison of any kind
in warfare, and yet Germany,
with her lack of honor, used
chlorine gas as early as in 1915.
Hundreds of women and children
have died in the streets of French
villages from gas poisoning. One
of the most pitiable sights in
France today is to see little chil-
dren carrying satchels upon their
shoulders containing gas masks.
Your children here at home play
at being soldiers. Little French
children do not play at being sol-
diers. They are too familiar with
the real thing."

The speaker then told how the
Americans had used smoke bombs
to deceive the Germans, who at
first thought it was a gas attack.
Then when they discovered it was
only smoke, they removed their
gas masks and then it was that the
Americans sent over the real ar-
tillery, and there was not a single
German left alive in the front line
trenches. Continuing he said:
"We are fighting with clean
hands, and have done so since
the war began. But we are go-
ing to take some of the enemy's
weapons and show him we can
get more out of them than he
does himself. Very soon now the
Germans must go on the defensive.
They have had no time to go
on the defensive yet for they
have been too busy going on the
retreat. They will get behind a
strongly fortified line and will
dare Foch to come any further.
But if you knew how many air-
planes America is sending across
every week you would know that
the real answer to Germany's re-
quest for peace will come when
we are bombing the German
towns with more airplanes than
were ever seen on the western front."

The Hand Grenade.
Displaying a hand grenade,
Lieut. Choyce told something of
the wrecking power of that weap-
on of warfare. He stated that
the British soldiers could throw
them 40 yards, but when the
Americans arrived, with their
baseball training, they were able
to throw them 50 yards. "The
kaiser said the American boys
were like children playing with
a new toy. I wonder what he
thinks now, with 2,000,000 of
them over there ready to play
with toys like the hand grenade?"

Referring to the food conserva-
tion program in this country, the
speaker said: "You will never
know what your action meant to
the allies over there. The time
had come when we did not know
where our next meal was coming
from. In our hour of greatest need
you sent over to the allied countries
10,000,000 tons of foodstuffs. We
shall ever try to thank you Amer-
icans for that. We cannot find
thanks big enough. But the wo-
men and children of our country
are never forgetful and in their
morning and evening prayers they
always ask God to bless America.
If you had had seen no man's
land and had seen German snip-
ers amuse themselves by picking
off the wounded, and had come
back behind the lines and found
German wounded having their
wounds dressed by our relief
workers, you would have a very
different thought in your mind
than that of peace. There will
be no talk of peace in England,
France, Belgium, Italy or Alke
until the allies until the day of reck-
oning has come for the German
outrages."

The Work of Women.
"If I had my way about writ-
ing the history of this war I would
write twice as much about what
women are doing as about what
men are doing. It is comparative-
ly easy to stand on the firing line,
for you have something to fix
your mind upon. But waiting at
home with a terrible dread in your
heart is a different matter."

"You, people of America who
went over the top in all the pre-
vious Liberty loans, will go over
the top in the fourth. You do not
need allied soldiers to come over
and say: 'Stand by our side in
this conflict.' I have never seen
a dawn like the dawn which steals
across no man's land. The of-
ficer says to the sentry: 'Stand
to!' The day is dawning. Get your
men out and on duty.' The men
come up the dugout steps and
when the officer comes down the
line he sees each man sharpening
and brightening up his bayonet.
The men 'Stand to!' and if the
Germans come across no man's
land they find a warm reception
awaiting them. I can leave no
better message from England,
France, Italy and Belgium than
the message which comes from
the boys in the trenches. Think
about it tonight, when you go
home and in the morning when
you arise from your bed. Say in
your mind, 'Stand to!' and people
make up your minds that until
the right time comes for talking
peace that you will, like the boys
in the trenches, also 'Stand to!'

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The sale on the farm of John
J. Bull, south of Franklin held
Thursday, was one of the largest
that this county has ever known.
Several thousand people were in
attendance and as a consequence
the bidding was spirited and live-
stock sold well. The proceeds
of the sale amounted to about
\$27,500 and S. J. Camm, who was
one of the clerks, said last night
that only \$69 had been paid in cash.
Eatables were served by a wom-
an's church organization and the
generous preparations had been
made long before the sale ended.
The receipts were more than
\$1,000. The auctioneers were
E. L. Seeley, White Hall; H.
E. Spencer, Scottville, and F. A.
Seymour, of Franklin. Jed Cox
was unable to be present on ac-
count of illness. The clerks were
S. J. Camm and W. A. Seymour,
and they certainly had a busy
day. Mr. Bull is the Hart's
Prairie resident who a few weeks
ago shipped 13 cars of hogs to the
St. Louis market at one time.
He continually carries on
very extensive feeding operations
and buys up practically all the
livestock and grain in a wide
area about his home. The high-
est price paid was \$755 for a span
of mules. Some of the principal
sales of horses, mules, hogs and
cattle are recorded herewith:

Hogs.
Charles Edwards, 13 shoats, at
\$14 each; 13 shoats at \$12
each; 18 shoats at \$18.25 each;
17 shoats at \$13.25 each.
L. W. Cox, ten hogs at \$31.25
each.

Coy Palmer, 4 hogs at \$50.
Sol Hart, 2 sows at \$55 each.

Horses.
J. W. Arnold, 2 grey horses,
\$455.
Henry Horton, 2 black horses,
\$390.
J. W. Arnold, 1 grey horse,
\$222.50.
W. E. McCurley, 1 grey horse,
\$142.50.

W. Summers, one black horse,
\$202.50.
Roy Woods, sorrel mare, \$230.
W. E. McCurley, grey horse,
\$120.

J. E. Hinman, grey horse, \$195.
Joseph Nighbert, grey horse,
\$152.50.
William Coverdale, bay mare,
\$107.50.
Howard Wood, black mare,
\$200.

William Arnold, bay mare,
\$155.
William E. Woods, 1 horse,
1 mare, \$330.
Byron Sheppard, grey mare,
\$217.50.
William Arnold, bay mare,
\$122.50.

Roy Woods, bay horse, \$160.
Mules.
Len Goacher, 2 mules coming
3 years, \$265.
Cotton Knox, 2 horse mules,
2 years old, \$200.

J. W. Arnold, 2 black horse
mules, \$312.50.
Cotton Knox, black horse mule
and black mare, \$270.
Barry, 2 black mules, horse
and mare, 2 and 3 years old,
\$287.50.

Robert Clayton, grey horse
mule, brown mare mule, \$237.50.
William Doolin, 2 horse mules,
one grey, one black, 2 years old,
\$217.50.

Amos McCurley, 2 yearling
horse mules, \$207.50.
Hanrahan, 2, 2 year old mare
mules, \$340.
Len Goacher, 2, 2 year old
mules, horse and mare, \$277.50.

Dick Kelly, brown horse mule
and yellow mare mule, 2 years
old, \$210.
Amos McCurley, 2 yearling
mules, \$217.50.
Blumling, 2-year old mules,
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William Coverdale, 2 3-year old
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Death of Allen Thompson Re-
corded—Former Scott County
Resident Dies at Macomb—
News Notes.

Winchester, Oct. 10.—The
funeral of the late Glenn Over-
ton was held at the home of his
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harve Over-
ton, Thursday afternoon at 3
o'clock. Rev. W. R. Johnson, of-
ficiating. Music was furnished
by a trio, Mrs. J. C. Neat, Miss
Martha Higgins and Rev. W. R.
Johnson. The pall bearers were
Fred Redshaw, Bert Cline, Fred
Coultas, Shirley Waggoner, Jas.
Tankersley and Wayne Fletcher.
Many beautiful flowers were evi-
denced of the esteem in which
th deceased had been held, and
these were cared for by Helen
McLaughlin, Lillian Walker, Lo-
retta Coultas, Bessie Pieper, Ruth
Coultas and Hazel Doyle.

Deceased was a young man
highly thought of by all who knew
him. He was a member of the
Baptist church, was an excellent
musician and took an active part
in the athletics of the high
school. He was a young man of
clean habits and who will be
greatly missed in the community.
Interment was in Winchester
cemetery.

Miss Maurine Mader arrived
from Millikin university at De-
catur Thursday, coming at this
time because of the prevalence of
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VIRGINIA MAN IS KILLED IN FRANCE

Charles Walter Reid Met Death in Action on September 14—James Brunk Died at Georgia Training Camp — Virginia News Notes.

Virginia, Oct. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Redding received a telegram Sunday informing them of the accidental death of their nephew, Lieut. Roy J. McNaught, near Fort Worth, Texas. The remains will be brought to Onarga, Ill., for burial.

Three other aviators were killed in the same accident with Lieut. McNaught.

News of the death of James Brunk, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Brunk, has been received in this city. Deceased was a victim of pneumonia at a training camp in Georgia. The remains will be brought to this city for burial. Funeral arrangements await the arrival of the remains.

Stuart Reid of this city, received an official telegram from Washington, D. C., stating that his brother, Charles Walter Reid, was killed in action Sept. 14 in France. Deceased sailed for France the later part of June. Deceased is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Reid, of Bluff Springs, and three brothers Stuart, of Virginia, Archie and Carl, at home.

Mr. Alex Robison, an aged citizen, was run over by an auto

driven by the young son of Joseph Edwards, who is attending school in this city.

Mr. Robison was picked up by passers-by, and carried to his home. The extent of his injuries, aside from being badly bruised and lacerated, about the heart are unknown.

Pupils from rural districts attending high school in autos, have been repeatedly warned about reckless driving on the streets near the school grounds. Action should be taken in the matter.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Chamberlain of Dow City, Iowa, were called to this city by the death of their uncle, Mr. L. A. Petefish, of Springfield.

The remains of the late Thomas Crews, who died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mamie Burnett, of Burlington, Iowa, arrived in this city Friday and funeral services were held at Garner Chapel, Saturday Oct. 5, conducted by the Rev. John Krewell, pastor of the M. E. church in this city. Burial was in Garner cemetery. Mr. Crews had been a life-long resident of Cass county, and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. Rev. A. F. McGarrath of Chicago will talk on "General Church Efficiency" followed by an address by the Rev. Marion Humphreys of Springfield, at 2:30. Mass meeting for women.

Four to five o'clock—Address to Young people of the church. 6:30 Supper by Ladies of the

church, in church parlors and general conference. 7:30 Mass Meeting for the entire church membership.

Miss Callie Garner went to a Springfield hospital Tuesday, where she will receive treatment. Miss Dorothy Virginia has received a call from the U. S. government to report at a reconstruction hospital in Cape May, New Jersey.

Miss Virginia had prepared for the work at the Columbia University during the summer and immediately on receiving the call resigned her position as teacher in the Virginia public schools, and will depart for Cape May today to enter her new duties.

Mrs. F. G. Edwards will fill the vacancy in the Virginia public school occasioned by the resignation of Miss Virginia.

Mrs. W. E. Gibson, of this city, and brother, E. L. Clark, of Littleberry, left Tuesday morning for Camp Grant, in response to a telegram informing them of the serious illness of their brother, John Clark.

DON'T FORGET
the Harvest Sale at Woolworth's 5 and 10c store. Navy beans, 10c per pound, from 9 to 10 a. m., today.

H. S. Greenstone, proprietor of the Emporium, made a business trip to Springfield today in the interest of his store in that city.

NORTONVILLE M. W. A. WILL GIVE SUPPER

Supper Will Be Given in Park Saturday Evening at Which There Will Be Speaking—News Notes.

Nortonville, Oct. 9.—The Modern Woodman Lodge of Nortonville will give a supper in the park Saturday night and also speaking.

Edgar Whitechurch, from Missouri, is visiting his uncle, Ed McNeely.

Fletcher Seymour and Ernest Henry have purchased a new Overland car.

Mrs. O. P. Steele is on the sick list. Her daughter having to stay home from school to take care of her.

The Woman's Club of Nortonville will have a business meeting Wednesday afternoon to elect new officers for the coming year. Charles Lashmet was a Jacksonville visitor Saturday.

Ed McNeely and family and Curtis Kelly and family were in Jacksonville Saturday.

MATT STARR POST. ATTENTION!

Regular meeting of post tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Full attendance desired as something out of the ordinary will take place on this occasion.

J. M. Swales, Commander. C. E. McDougall, Adjutant.

ASBURY

Asbury Ladies Aid Society will hold a social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hemmrough Thursday evening Oct. 10. Everyone invited.

A play entitled "The Ladies Sewing Circle" will be given. The cast is Mrs. Judd, hostess—Miss Nellie Hemmrough; Mrs. Chesty, president, Mrs. R. Y. Gibson; Mrs. R. B. Powers, Rich strange lady taken for a dress maker, Mrs. Rex Ranson; Grand-ma Gibbs, a guest, very persistent, Alma Hemmrough; Mrs. Luella Huggins, very sentimental, Ruth Hemmrough; Mrs. Strong, A. suffragist, Elizabeth Hemmrough; Mrs. Meeker, gentle and good, Anah Hemmrough; Mrs. Day, a bride of five weeks, Grace Hemmrough; Meely, a hired girl, Grace Gibson.

Mrs. Oliver Green of Chicago spent several days last week at the home of A. B. Green.

Vincent Richardson of Stafford, Kansas, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Richardson of Point were Thursday guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Mortimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hemmrough returned home Sunday from a pleasant visit with Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Hemmrough in St. Louis.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Meggison and Mr. and Mrs. George Barnhart were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Reynolds near Wadon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Anderson of Losani, Mrs. Oliver Green of Chicago, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Cully, and daughter, Miss Ruby, and Miss Marybeth Fox of Jacksonville, Mrs. W. T. Craig and Miss Minnie Hemmrough were Thursday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hemmrough and daughter, Marie, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reahner near Sinclair.

DURBIN

Rev. Harry Willard and family have moved into the Circuit parsonage at Franklin.

Rev. Mr. Willard preached at Providence Sunday.

Thomas and George Oxley shipped a car of cattle from Clements Monday.

Mrs. Jacob Mayes is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Lois Laverick is ill at the home of her sister, Mrs. William Challons.

A party of young folks attended a basket ball game at Murrayville Friday and also held a weiner roast at Rees Grove Friday evening.

Fred Scott and sister Hattie spent Sunday in Springfield.

A purse of \$150.00 was raised by Durbin, Providence and Franklin people and presented to Rev. W. E. Keenan Monday.

Boys' \$1.00 union suits at Tomlinson's.

HOMER REID SERIOUSLY ILL WITH PNEUMONIA

Word has been received in the city of the serious illness with pneumonia of Homer Reid. The young man is at Camp Millington, an aviation camp near Memphis, Tenn.

WALTER B. MISER VISITING HERE.

Walter B. Miser, general manager of the Utilities company in Drumwright, Oklahoma, is visiting friends in the city for a few days. Mr. Miser has been in St. Louis purchasing material for a new plant at Drumwright to cost \$150,000 and took the opportunity to come to Jacksonville for a visit.

Mr. Miser looks fine and is the same jovial fellow that he was when he was manager of the local utilities. He is being given a warm greeting by his countless friends here. Mr. Miser is a candidate for state senator in Oklahoma. He is running on the republican ticket and if he puts the same "pep" into his efforts that he did into his work here he will land the job.

Mrs. Miser has been visiting friends and relatives in Indiana and is expected to arrive in the city today. After a brief visit here they will leave for their Oklahoma home.

TODAY—FRIDAY
The big day at Woolworth's 5 and 10c store. Nothing sold for more than 10c.

SHOPLIFTERS APPREHENDED

For sometime there seems to have been an organized gang of petty shoplifters working in Jacksonville. That this band is composed mostly of juveniles has been proven, but it is thought there is an older head directing. Five of the youngsters have been apprehended and are being dealt with by the authorities as their cases merit.

Woolworth's 5 and 10c store is the latest to be victimized. It appears that the gang, or its directing head, will make a study of the store it is intended to work, finding out when there are the fewest employees present. Entering the store one would engage an employee's attention at the back while the others picked up any articles within easy reach.

The chief of police and his men are determined that this petty thieving shall cease, and having already taken in five and obtained a good line on the directing genius they do not think there will be any more complaints from this source.

WAS BUYING GOODS

Terrance Brennan returned Thursday from St. Louis where he has been making Christmas purchases. Mr. Brennan expects the first shipment in within a week or ten days, at which time he will extend an invitation to the public to call and inspect his purchases.

COMMISSIONER IS BETTER.

City Commissioner Joshua Vasconcellos, who has been confined to his home by illness for several days, was reported as able to sit up a short time yesterday and is gaining in strength.

MORGAN

Miss Edna Hutches who was teaching at Normal returned home last Wednesday.

This vicinity was well represented at the Community Sing at Chapin last Tuesday evening and all report a good time.

John Starks of Springfield spent Sunday with George W. Coulson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Taylor were Jacksonville visitors last Saturday.

Quite a number from here attended the Red Cross picnic at Meredosias last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brockhouse, Mrs. Maggie Moody and daughters Ruth and Esther spent Wednesday evening with Clyde Williams and family.

Mrs. Kate Swettart and daughter spent Sunday with her brother, Dan Smith and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Williams and C. E. Williams and wife were business visitors in Jacksonville last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Coulson and daughter, Maurine, visited relatives in Scott County last Sunday.

James Anterson and his cousin, Miss Mildred Boak, and Walter Williams were among those that attended a party at the home of Miss Allene Omer in Chapin last Saturday evening.

Sergeant Chester L. Williams of Battery C, 30th. Field Artillery, Camp Funston, Kans., writes home he is in the hospital with influenza. He was able to be up and helping do what he could. The hospital is full of patients and some have to lie on the porches. Chester expects to be back to his own barracks as soon as his doctor gets able to release him.

Mrs. Alpha Anderson is entertaining her brother Frank Bark and family of Sandwich, Ill. He has been nine years since Mr. Bark was here.

WINTER APPLES FOR SALE

We will have a representative in Chas. Schlicker's orchard, Oct. 11th, 12th, 14th and 15th; anyone wishing choice winter apples can get them on above dates from 75c to \$1.50 per bu. Now is the time to get winter apples at a low price.

LOUIS F. BERGER, Meredosias, Ill.

THE PARK BOARD.

The park board met last evening for the transaction of ordinary business. All properly approved bills were ordered paid. The resignation of J. H. Schaefer, superintendent of Nichols park was received and accepted and Joseph Hopper was appointed to the position. The superintendent was instructed to do all needed work for the preservation of the park property and care for it during the winter. It was voted to request C. C. Capps to assist in plans for trimming and general treatment of shrubbery in Nichols park. Adjourned.

A SMALL RUNAWAY

Yesterday afternoon J. W. Woods halted his team in front of a grocery on North Main street and stepped in to make a purchase. Some boys were cracking a whip near the horses and as Mr. Woods placed his foot on the wagon the horses ran away toward the park and Mr. Woods fell backward to the street.

The team kept on through central park and on the north side struck a telephone pole damaging the front part of the wagon, tearing harness from the horses and letting them loose. They were soon captured, all right uninjured. The other damage was not very great.

CONGREGATIONAL BROTHERHOOD

This evening the regular meeting of the brotherhood of the Congregational church will be held in the church parlors and all members of the brotherhood and male members of the congregation are urged to be present. Supper will be served at 6:30 after which the meeting will enjoy an address by Prof. George R. Poage of Illinois college; topic, "The Historic Background of the Great War."

ATTENTION, W. R. C.

The Woman's Relief Corps will meet at the O. A. R. hall on West Morgan street at 2:30 Saturday afternoon. There are candidates to initiate. Let everyone be present.

Anna Ferguson, Pres. Angie Weber, Sec.

MOTHER! YOUR CHILD IS CROSS, FEVERISH, FROM CONSTIPATION

If Tooque Is Coated, Breath Bad, Stomach Sour, Clean Liver and Bowels.

Give "California Syrup of Figs" at once—a teaspoonful today often saves a sick child tomorrow.

If your little one is out-of-sorts half-sick, isn't resting, eating and acting naturally—look, mother! see if tongue is coated. This is a sure sign that its little stomach, liver and bowels are clogged with waste. When cross, irritable, feverish, stomach sour, breath bad or has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, sore throat, full of cold, give a teaspoonful of "California Syrup of Figs," and in a few hours all the constipated poison, undigested food and sour bile gently moves out of its little bowels without griping, and you have a well, playful child again!

Mothers can rest easy after giving this harmless "fruit laxative," because it never fails to cleanse the little one's liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach and they dearly love its pleasant taste. Full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups printed on each bottle. Beware of counterfeit fig syrups. Ask your druggist for a bottle of "California Syrup of Figs"; then see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company."

SHEETS

BLANKETS

GREAT 2-DAYS CASH SALE

Saturday, Oct. 12 and Monday, Oct. 14

20 Doz. 81x90 Sheets, \$2.50 Quality, for \$1.50 Each

These sheets are far from perfect quality. Some of the sheets are badly wrinkled; on others the hemming is poorly done; still others are spotted and stained.

But This Fact We Want to Thoroughly Impress Upon You

Some of the sheets have tears in them and tiny holes caused by being run through new machinery. The tears can be mended and the holes darned. We want you to know exactly what you are buying, but we wish to assure you that we consider this an exceptional offering just the same and goods that you will buy readily. We are confident you will be pleased if you buy them. This lot of sheets should have been in our Anniversary Sale, but were laid out on account of railroad shipping conditions.

The Limit This Sale Not More Than Six Sheets to a Customer

All Wool Fancy Plaid Blankets Greatly Reduced

The contract for these Blankets was placed in December, 1917, to be delivered May 1st, this year. The Government commandeered all the wool of this factory and the shipment was delayed until the present time. These Blankets are strictly ALL WOOL and are beautiful assorted plaids and at the present time are worth \$18.00 and \$20.00 per pair.

See the Prices for This Cash Sale

The \$20.00 quality is priced at, the pair \$13.95
The \$18.00 quality is priced at, the pair \$11.95

Here's Your Chance to Save \$6.05 on a Pair of All Wool Blankets.

BUY LIBERTY BONDS WITH YOUR SAVINGS AND BUY MORE BONDS!

Save the Soldiers' Lives—Bring Peach Stones, Fruit Pits, Walnuts, Hickory Nuts, Butter Nuts, well dried to this store — We will do the rest!

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Children's 35c hose, black and white, only . . . 25c
Women's \$1.00 Fleece Union Suits, low neck, no sleeves, ankle length, good ones . . . 89c

Here's a Great Bargain

Women's \$2.00 Medium Weight Union Suits, all styles . . . \$1.59

Buy More Liberty Bonds. Blot Out the Hun

FRINGES, ETC.

75c Colored Chenille Fringes . . . 49c
50c Colored Chenille Fringes . . . 35c
10c Dress Snaps, white and black . . . 5c
10c Crochet Cottons . . . 5c

BASEMENT SPECIALS

6 Bars Laundry Soap for . . . 25c
\$1.00 House Brooms, good ones . . . 69c
7 Rolls 5c Toilet Paper . . . 25c

SILK BARGAIN

36-inch Black Taffeta Silk, \$2.00 value, priced in this sale . . . \$1.39

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50c 32-inch Plaid Ginghamettes, decidedly handsome and durable . . . 32c
35c 36-inch Standard Percalés priced at, the yard . . . 29c

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\$5.00 Black Coney Muffs . . . \$2.95
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\$11.75 Marmot Fur Muffs . . . \$7.75
\$5.00 Black and Colored Silk Petticoats . . . \$2.79
Misses' and Children's \$1.50 Gray Sweaters \$1.19
Women's \$1.50 flowered flannelette Kimonas 98c

This sale is strictly cash—Nothing laid aside—Nothing on approval—No telephone orders—Free delivery in afternoon—This merchandise at these prices Saturday and Monday only. **KEEP BUYING LIBERTY BONDS!**

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Put your wardrobe on a war basis

That means that the clothes you do buy should be the kind that make the best possible use of the labor and materials put into them. It means clothes that not only wear a long time but keep their shape a long time. It means "conserving" clothes.

Hart Schaffner & Marx
make that kind
and we sell them

Now if you're going to buy clothes at all—and you shouldn't unless you absolutely need them—that's the only kind you've a right to buy—clothes that save.

It's "dollar economy," too. You pay a little more now—but they wear so well you spend less in the long run.



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Clover hay, per ton.....1.25
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Butter, per pound.....40c
Eggs, fresh, per dozen.....40c
Lard, per pound.....30c
Hens, per pound.....2c
Cocks, per pound.....1c
Ducks, per pound.....1c
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The Jacksonville Creamery Co., is
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**KANSAS CITY
LIVESTOCK MARKET.**
Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 10.—
Hogs—7,000; steady; bulk \$17.50
@18.25; heavy, \$17.75 @18.40;
packers, \$17.50 @18.40; lights,
\$17.25 @18.20; pigs, \$15.50 @17.00.
Cattle—10,000; steady; steers,
\$17.50 @19.00; cows, \$6.00 @12.25;
heifers, \$7.00 @13.00;
calves, \$7.00 @13.00.
Sheep—11,000; steady; lambs,
\$13.50 @15.75; yearlings, \$10.00
@12.00; wethers, \$9.00 @10.50;
ewes, \$8.00 @9.50; stockers and
feeders, \$6.00 @17.00.

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WANTED—Grass for 100 cattle. J.
W. Arnold. Both phones, 10-6-17.
WANTED—Your well, clean and
cellar digging. Call Illinois phone
712. 10-6-17.

WANTED—To buy good trunk. Ad-
dress "K" care of Journal. 10-10-17.
WANTED—Stubble lands or pasture
for sheep, close to town. Call W. S.
Cannon Produce Co. 10-18-17.

WANTED—To buy riding and drivin
horse. Address "Horse" care Jour-
nal. 10-9-17.
WANTED—Board for high school
student, close to home. Address "Board"
care Journal. 10-11-17.

WANTED—Position as stenographer
or office assistant; good references.
Address "Stenographer," care Jour-
nal. 10-6-17.
WANTED—By married couple (both
employed) suit of modern furnished
rooms with or without board.
Permanent and reliable. Address
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CASH FOR OLD FALSE TEETH
(broken or not) pay \$2.00 to \$5.00
per set, also highest prices for
Bridges, Crowns, Watches, Diam-
onds, Old Gold, Silver, and Platin-
um. Send Now and receive cash
by return mail, your goods returned
if price not satisfactory. L. Mader,
200 S. 5th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.
10-24-17

HELP WANTED
WANTED—Girls at Grand Laundry
9-30-17.
WANTED—Kitchen man at Batz
Cafe. 10-9-17.
WANTED—Dishwasher and pan-
washer. Pacific Hotel. 10-11-17.

WANTED—Two boys at Western
Union Telegraph Co. Steady work.
Good pay. 9-27-17.
WANTED—Lady to care for two
children during the day. Inquire
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WANTED—Man with small family,
to work on farm. Cyrus, car-
men. 9-27-17.
WANTED—Married man for farm
and dairy work. Illinois phone
1259, 148 Oak St. J. W. Theobald.
10-11-17.

STOCK SALESMEN—To sell capital
stock in live stock insurance com-
pany which will insure hogs and
other live stock against death from
disease. Illinois Live Stock Insur-
ance Company, 417 S. Dearborn St.,
Chicago, Ill. 10-6-17.

GOVERNMENT needs 12,000 women
clerks. Jacksonville examinations in
October. Salary \$1,200. Experience
unnecessary. Women desiring gov-
ernment positions write for free
particulars. J. C. Leonard, former
civil service examiner, 456 Kenosia
Building, Washington. 10-5-17.

FOR RENT
FOR RENT—Houses always The
Johnston Agency. 10-17-17.
FOR RENT—Modern six room house,
923 West North St. 9-13-17.
FOR RENT—Nicely furnished house,
keeping rooms, separate entrances.
Apply at 408 East State street.
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FOR RENT—All or part of a nine
room house, one five room cottage.
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flat, with heat and every modern
convenience, location 220 N. Church
street. Call at The Johnston Agency
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FOR RENT—4 rooms, modern, fur-
nished or unfurnished; also 2 stalls
for cars. Norman Dewees, 678 N.
Church St. 10-5-17.
FOR RENT—Eight room house, 135
Spaulding. Apply 116 Spaulding or
call Ill. phone 60-91. 9-13-17.

FOR RENT—Neat four room cottage.
Apply Wm. Muehlhausen, Ill. phone
675 or 728. 10-17-17.
FOR RENT—Four unfurnished
rooms. Apply 655 South West.
10-5-17.

FOR RENT—5 room cottage, 626 S.
Church St. John Cherry, 10-10-17.
FOR RENT—Farm, from 100 to 420
acres. Possession given any time.
See W. S. Cannon. 9-23-17.
FOR RENT—All or part of house of
8 rooms, with or without barn, 460
South East street. 9-15-17.

FOR RENT—Modern eight room
house on excellent condition, 401
West College avenue. John Cherry,
both phones 550. 9-19-17.
FOR RENT—Modern seven room
house, 333 South Clay avenue, 315
per month. Also five room house,
2811 North College street. John A.
Vasconcellos, both phones 829. 9-19-17.

FOR RENT—Modern eight room
house, with sleeping porch, 215
Woodland Place. L. S. Doan. 9-3-17.
FOR RENT—Upper flat, 5 rooms, all
modern, 814 W. College ave. Jno
Cherry. Both phones 850. 9-27-17.

FOR SALE
PURE BLOOD
BRINGS BEAUTY

FOR SALE—Majestic range in good
shape. Can be seen at 352 Grove
St. 10-10-17.
FOR SALE—Eight cords of walnut
wood, Stansfield Baldwin, Illinois
50-305. 10-10-17.
FOR SALE—Corn by the load, deliv-
ered. Call Ill. phone 238 or Seaver's
Blacksmith Shop. 10-6-17.

RADIANT HOME base burner, No. 9,
radiator size, for sale. Call or write
Illinois phone 125, White Hall, Ill.
10-9-17.
FOR SALE—Pointer dog, two years
old and better bitch, two years old.
Also some pointer and setter pups.
C. E. Allen, 515 E. College Ave. 10-6-17.

FOR SALE—I have four thorough
bred Chester White male hogs for
sale. Also wish to buy one Che-
ster White hog of enough to ship.
Zed Bell, Ill. Phone 096,
R. No. 7. 10-17-17.

CHEMICALS FOR FIRE EX-
TINGUISHERS, large or small type.
Exporting and selling. Old ex-
tinguishers bought. The Johnston
Agency. 9-24-17.

FOR SALE—To close the estate of
Wm. Nunes, deceased, on October
13, 1918, at 2 p. m. at south door of
court house, 15 houses and lots, in-
cluding the residence of the de-
ceased. Wm. Nunes and 15 vacant lots,
also about 61-2 acres of land on East
Independence Ave. 10-8-17.

PUBLIC SALE—At Correa's residence
in Jacksonville, Fla. on October 11,
beginning at 1 p. m. 25 Short Horn
calves with calves at foot, calves
weighing from 250 to 280 pounds.
Calves will be sold separate. These
are a choice lot and will make good
cows or feeders, all bred to Short
Horn bull. 25 head extra good milk
cows, Holstein, Jersey and red cows,
good yearling bulls, 1 roan Short
Horn, 1 Red Poll, 1 Guernsey and 1
registered Holstein. Will also sell a
few stencils. Ave. 10-5-17.
Red Cross. Correa & Co. 10-5-17.

MISCELLANEOUS
MONEY TO LOAN on real estate
security. M. C. Hook & Co. 9-26-17.
TRUNKS, LEATHER GOODS AND
REPAIRING—Harney's Leather
Goods Store, 111 West
Main street. 9-27-17.
MONEY TO LOAN ALWAYS—The
Johnston Agency. 10-17-17.

BUICK TAXI—County trips a spec-
iality. Rates by day, trip or mile.
Call C. phone 338. 9-12-17.
WALL PAPER & a roll up. F. L.
Smith, 120 East Morton avenue, Ill.
Phone 1532. 9-30-17.

WALL PAPER cleaned at reasonable
prices. Call or write. 723 North
Diamond St. Jacksonville, Illinois.
Illinois phone 897. 10-2-17.

LOST AND FOUND
FOUND—Auto license 2722. Owner
can have same by calling at Jour-
nal office and paying for this ad.
10-11-17.

TO ALL PERSONS CONCERNED
Notice is hereby given that
Robert W. Hall, as Conservator of the
Estate of Eva L. McCormick, Insane,
has filed in the office of the Clerk of
the County Court, Morgan County,
Illinois, his petition praying for an
order of said Court authorizing and
directing him to sell to public sale the
west half of Section Twelve (12) and
the West half of Section Fourteen (14),
in Township Nineteen (19) North
and Range Three (3) West in
Sunkflower County, Missouri, con-
taining six hundred and forty acres,
more or less, being the property
of said Eva L. McCormick—at a
price not less than \$100.00 per
acre, and the Court has set
Monday, the 4th day of November,
1918, being the first day after the
November Term of said Court at 9
o'clock a. m., in the County Court
Room in the Court House of the City
of Jacksonville, County of Morgan
and State of Illinois, as the time and
place where the first day after the
said petition and any objections
thereto, at which time and place any
person interested in said property
and object to such order if he sees fit
to do so.

Witness, C. A. Boruff, Clerk of
said Court, and the Seal thereof, at
Jacksonville, Illinois, this 19th day
of October, A. D. 1918.
C. A. Boruff,
Clerk of the County Court of Mor-
gan County, Illinois.
Worthington, Reeve & Green,
Attorneys for Petitioner.

**HIGH SPEED TANKS
DEVELOPED THIS YEAR**
Use of Armored Motor Cars Has
Grown Tremendously During
Past Year—Infantry Practi-
cally Depend on them.

BEHIND BRITISH LINES IN
FRANCE, Oct.—(Correspondence
of the Associated Press)—Tanks,
cavalry and armored motor cars
have had a larger part in the re-
cent fighting on the Western
front than ever before in the war.
They have added greatly to the
driving weight and speed of as-
sault of the modern intensive at-
tack, and their use has been de-
veloped tremendously by the British
command since last year.

The modern tank has twice the
speed of the earlier type, and
more than radius of action. In-
fantry is practically powerless
against them. If infantry at-
tempts to rush an oncoming tank
they are machine-gunned in the
open. If they stay in their
trenches, the tank straddles the
line and enfilades them with di-
rect short-range fire; if they re-
treat to the shell-holes or dugouts
the tank lumbers along right over
them, crushing them into the
ground and caving in the dug-
outs.

The light high speed tanks
known as "whippets" are a de-
velopment of this year. They are
killing machines pure and simple,
for they can bear down upon
fortified positions and batteries at
such a speed that there is little
chance of getting the gun or men
away in time. Their reserve of
fuel enables them to remain in
action a full day without refilling.

Moreover, the advance of the
whippets is quickly followed by the
so-called "Supply tanks," which
can cross any ground, bringing
up reserve supplies of gasolene
and ammunition.

The armored motor-cars are
necessarily limited in their radius
of action, owing to the fact that
they must stick to the roads, but
their great speed makes them
useful in pursuit, and they have
a faculty of getting well back
behind the enemy front and doing
endless damage by taking com-
mand of a vital road junction and
preventing the escape of enemy
guns and transport. Possibilities
of infinite adventure are open to
the commanders of such detached
units.

PURE BLOOD
BRINGS BEAUTY

Pimples, Blackheads, Boils and
Poor Complexion Vanish by
Using Stuart's Calcium Wafers.
TRIAL PACKAGE MAILED FREE

All your dreams of a beautiful,
clear complexion can be made to
come true. It makes no difference
how spotted and disfigured
your face may be with pimples,
blackheads, eczema or liver-spots.

You'll Dance With Joy to See How
Easy and Quick Stuart's Cal-
cium Wafers Clears
Your Skin

You may reclaim your heritage of
good looks. There are thousands
of people today whose fresh, clear
faces are a living proof that Stuart's
Calcium Wafers do cure
pimples and cure them to stay, in
only a few days.

Stuart's Calcium Wafers cure
pimples and similar eruptions by
thoroughly cleansing the blood of
all impurities. With a pure blood
supply, it is simply impossible for a
pimple to remain on your face.
And the invigorated blood will
place your dead, sallow skin with
the glowing colors of a perfect
complexion.

Your self-respect demands that
you avail yourself of this remedy
that thousands have proved
before you. Get a 50c box of
Stuart's Calcium Wafers of your
druggist today. Make your dream
of beauty come true. Ask mail
coupon today for free trial pack-
age.

FREE TRIAL COUPON
F. A. Stuart Co., 617 Stuart
Bldg., Marshall, Mich. Send me
at once by return mail, a free
trial package of Stuart's Cal-
cium Wafers.

Name _____
Street _____
City _____ State _____

PAINS IN BACK AND SIDE
Yield to Lydia E. Pinkham's
Vegetable Compound

Kansas City, Kan.—"I suffered
from pains in my back and side
caused by a functional derange-
ment. I was nervous and had
headaches most of the time. So many
people recommended Ly-
dia E. Pinkham's Veget-
able Compound to me. I tried it and
after taking six bottles I am well. I
do not think the Vegetable Com-
pound can be beaten for women's
ailments."—Mrs. L. Timmerman,
3011 N. Hutchings St., Kansas
City, Kansas.

Women who suffer from head-
aches, nervousness, backache, the
blues and other symptoms of a
functional derangement should
give this famous root and herb
remedy a trial.

For forty years it has been over-
coming such ailments of women
after other medicines have failed.
If you want special suggestions
in regard to your condition, write
Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co.,
Lynn, Mass. The result of long
experience is at your service, and
your letter will be held in strict
confidence.

Sykes Comfort Powder
Heals The Skin

**DRESSMAKER GIVES
ADVICE**
"I underwent a surgical operation
for gall stones five years
ago, was in the hospital four
weeks. For one year I felt better,
but then my old symptoms and
pains returned and I have suf-
fered ever since. Four weeks ago
on the advice of a lady I tried
May's Wonderful Remedy, and I
now feel like a new woman. I
have a number of friends who suf-
fer as I did and I am anxious to
let them try this valuable medicine." It
is a simple, harmless preparation
that removes the catarrhal ma-
nus from the intestinal tract and
allays the inflammation which
causes practically all stomach,
liver and intestinal ailments, in-
cluding appendicitis. One dose
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Sale by Coover & Shreve's,
East Side Drug Store and drug-
gists everywhere.—Adv.

It is understood that the ex-
ecutive council of the American
Federation of Labor to be held
in the near future plans will be
considered for the better organi-
zation of the thousands of wo-
men workers whom the war has
brought into the fields of labor in
the United States.

EUROPEAN SITUATION
LOWERS GRAIN VALUES

CHICAGO, Oct. 10.—Fresh in-
dications of an unconditional sur-
render by Turkey together with
many other bearish European de-
velopments brought about new
smashes today in the value of
grain. Rallies were numerous but
for the most part failed to hold.
Corn closed unsettled, 3/4c net
lower to 1/2c advance, with Novem-
ber \$1.12 to \$1.12 and Decem-
ber \$1.10 to \$1.11.

Oats finished 1/4c down to 3/4c
up and provisions off 3/4c to 1/4c.
Corn started with a severe
break due chiefly to the forward
movement of the outside armies be-
yond the Hindenburg line. Rumors
that the German emperor had
abdicated gave further emphasis
to bearish sentiment and so too
did talk of a split between Aus-
tria and Hungary. Uncertainty
as to the nature and time of the
German reply to President Wil-
son's note however tended to in-
duce efforts by shorts to collect
profits. Rapid fluctuations that
followed gave ample evidence of
extreme nervousness on the part
of a majority of traders but in
the end the advantage remained
with the bears owing principally
to the focusing of attention on
the likelihood of Turkish collapse.

Oats swayed with corn after
steadied somewhat by improved
domestic shipping demand.
Provisions were pulled down to
the extreme limit by weakness
of grain and hogs.

(Furnished by Jas. Bennett Co.)
Open High Low Close.
Corn—
Oct. 1.12 1.14 1.13 1.16
Nov. 1.13 1.14 1.11 1.12
Dec. 1.11 1.13 1.09 1.11

Oats—
Oct. 64 67 65 67
Nov. 64 65 63 64
Dec. 64 65 63 64
Pork—
Nov. 33.25
Lard—
Oct. 23.50
Nov. 24.65
Ribs—
Oct. 21.32
Nov. 21.15

**ST. LOUIS CASH
GRAIN MARKET.**
St. Louis, Oct. 10.—Corn—No.
2 yellow, \$1.49 @ 1.50; No. 3 yel-
low, \$1.40; No. 4 yellow, \$1.27;
No. 5 yellow, \$1.21; No. 6 yellow,
\$1.15; sample grade, \$1.07 @ 1.07;
No. 1 white, \$1.55; No. 2 white,
\$1.48; sample grade, \$1.05 @ 1.05;
Oats—No. 3 white, 69c @ 70c;
No. 4 white, 69c @ 70c; No. 2 mix-
ed, 68c @ 69c; No. 2 mongrel, 77c.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK MARKET
Chicago, Oct. 10.—(U. S. Bu-
reau of Markets)—Hogs—Re-
ceipts 29,000. Market closed ac-
tively strong to a shade higher than
early. Keen demand late for
butcher hogs. Butchers, \$18.10 @
18.60; light \$17.75 @ 18.25; pack-
ing, \$17.25 @ 18.00; rough \$16.75
@ 17.20; pigs, good to choice,
\$16.25 @ 17.25.

Cattle—Receipts 22,000. All
steers lower, most sales 25c down.
Butcher and canning stock un-
evenly 25c to 50c lower. Calves
steady to 25c lower than yester-
day's close. Beef cattle, good,
choice and prime, \$14.75 @ 19.50;
common and medium, \$9.50 @
14.75; butcher stock, cows and
heifers, \$7.25 @ 13.50; canners
and cutters, \$6.50 @ 7.35; stock-
ers and feeders, good, choice and
prime, \$10.50 @ 13.50; inferior,
common and medium, \$7.25 @
10.50; veal calves, good and
choice, \$16.75 @ 17.50; western
range beef steers, \$13.50 @ 17.50;
cows and heifers, \$8.50 @ 12.00.

Sheep—Receipts 20,000. Mar-
ket slow, steady to unevenly low.
Most fat lambs selling 25c
down. Desirable feeding lambs
steady. Lambs, choice and prime,
\$13.75 @ 16.25; medium and good
\$12.75 @ 17.50; culls, \$8.00 @
12.50; ewes, choice and prime,
\$10.25 @ 10.50; medium and good
\$9.00 @ 10.25; culls, \$2.50 @ 7.00.

PEORIA GRAIN MARKET.
Peoria, Oct. 10.—Corn—Un-
changed @ 2c lower; No. 2 white,
\$1.40; No. 3 white, \$1.28; No. 2
yellow, \$1.08; No. 3 yellow,
\$1.30; No. 4 yellow, \$1.15; No. 6
yellow, \$1.07 @ 1.08; No. 1 mix-

COMMITTEE TO PASS ON CONSTRUCTION WORK

Permit Will Be Necessary for All Buildings—Seek to Conserve Both Labor and Material.

A Morgan County Non-War Construction committee has been appointed, according to notice received by Judge Owen P. Thompson, chairman of the Morgan county executive committee, state council of defense. This new committee includes William Barr Brown, W. A. Jenkinson and F. H. Rowe. The function of this committee, as the name indicates, is to pass upon proposed building work in this locality. It will be necessary under existing regulations for the person or firm desiring to begin construction work to apply thru the committee for a permit.

The local committee will investigate the facts and then transmit a summary to the state council of defense for review. The finding of the state council will then be made known and the applicant will be governed by the finding made. This whole procedure of course is outlined for the purpose of confining building and construction operations to essential work, with the end in view of conserving materials and, furthermore, to make it certain to release for war industry work as much labor as possible.

The work of the Non-War Construction bureau, together with the procedure necessary before any one may enter upon a building project is more fully explained in the following statement, outlined by the state council of defense:

Notice is hereby given the public at large that under the direction of the Council of National Defense, the State Council of Defense of Illinois has this day created a committee called the non-war construction bureau of Illinois. This bureau is composed of seven members of the council and a secretary with such expert assistants as may be necessary. Plans for the organization of this bureau contemplate representation in each county of the state. Under the direction of the War Industries Board, plans for all construction projects of this state must be submitted to the Non-War Construction Bureau of Illinois for approval before a priority order for any construction material will be issued by the priorities board, except in certain specified instances.

All people in Illinois who are contemplating taking up any construction project, either in public or private capacity, are therefore put upon notice of the organization of the Non-War Construction Bureau, and of the necessity of seeking the approval of that bureau before beginning any construction work whatever except as specified in Circular 21 of the War Industries Board. Priorities division, copies of which may be had on application to the State Council of Defense, 120 West Adams Street, Chicago, Illinois.

A temporary ruling has been made by the priorities commissioner, to the effect that where a substantial portion of a building has already been constructed, manufacturers and distributors of, and dealers in, building materials, may continue to furnish such materials for the completion of such building pending further action by the War Industries Board.

A survey of all construction work in progress in the state is to be made at once by the Non-War Construction bureau. Recommendations upon each particular case as to the necessity for continuance of construction to completion or whether further work thereon should be deferred until after the war, will be sent to the priorities division of the War Industries Board at Washington, where careful consideration will be given to each project and appropriate action taken.

Procedure in Making Applications for Permits

1. The person interested in a construction project will apply, with a full written statement in triplicate, signed by an officer of the company or the individual owners of the facts under oath, to the appropriate local representative of the State Council of Defense.

2. The local representative of the State Council will then investigate the necessity of the

proposed construction and transmit its recommendations, with a summary of the facts, to the State Council of review.

3. The State Council, or its appropriate committee will review the case, (a) If the State Council decides in favor of the construction it will at once send its recommendation, with a full statement of all the facts, to the Non-War Construction Section will then grant or withhold the permit and notify the State Council of Defense, and also the individual concerned, of its action.

(b) If the State Council decides against the proposed construction, it will then notify the person concerned that his project has been disapproved.

4. The State Council will report monthly to the Non-War Construction all applications submitted to it, including those decided adversely.

Bear in mind that the order of the War Industries Board includes construction of every character in which materials are used—roads, sidewalks, farm buildings, houses, elevators, railroads and everything of like nature—except the five classes specifically excluded.

Samuel Insull, Chairman.

NOTICE

The banks of this city will observe Columbus Day (legal holiday) Saturday, October 12th, and will not be open for business.

Jacksonville Clearing House

AT THE FRONT

The population of some cities now often mentioned in the war dispatches follow:

Paris	2,888,110
Lille	217,807
St. Etienne	148,656
Rheims	115,178
Nancy	119,949
St. Quentin	55,751
Armentieres	28,613
Cambray	27,832
Arras	24,921
Verdun	19,599
Sedan	17,307
Bar le Duc	15,288
Laon	14,344
Toul	13,663
Sedan	19,599
Metz, Germany	68,598

HOME FROM UNIVERSITY.

Miss Helen Bennett arrived in the city Wednesday. She has been attending Milliken University at Decatur but on account of the influenza in the school she thought it advisable to come home for a few weeks. It is thought the University will be closed in the near future for a short time. Two boys who have been attending the school have died from the disease and a large number of others are ill.

MORGAN COUNTY RED CROSS KNITTERS—PLEASE NOTICE

All knitters having yarn of any kind from the Red Cross are urged to complete and send in their work at once. All knitted articles are now badly needed by our boys. All khaki helmet yarn taken out during Chautauqua is now due for shipping. Any delay in turning in knitting at the Red Cross means suffering for some boy later on. Yarn is expected shortly for a new sweater quota. Meantime knitters are asked to send in all work on hand in order that the Committee may ship it at once.

Knitting Committee.

MAJOR BLACK ARRIVES OVERSEAS.

A cablegram received by Mrs. Carl E. Black yesterday announced the safe arrival overseas of Major C. E. Black, who left about ten days ago with the commission for Greece. The city where the party left the ship was not mentioned in the cablegram.

WOMAN'S CLUB LUNCHEON

The Woman's club luncheon will be served at Central Christian church promptly at 1 o'clock.

See our line of underwear in our west window.

Tomlinson.

TEACHERS INSTITUTE OPENED YESTERDAY

Sessions for the State Schools for the Deaf and Blind Opened Yesterday—Richard O. Johnson of Indiana is Giving the Lectures—Schedule of Meetings.

Richard O. Johnson, for thirty five years superintendent of the Indiana School for the Deaf at Indianapolis, arrived Thursday and delivered the first institute lecture to the teachers of the Illinois School for the Deaf, and the School for the Blind in the chapel at the School for the Deaf from two o'clock to four.

Mr. Johnson has been for more than twenty years chairman of the executive committee of superintendents and principals of American Schools for the Deaf. He is chairman of the committee on Research and Efficiency of Schools for the Deaf, chairman of the Kindergarten Section of the Convention of American Instructors of the Deaf, and for the past ten years has been president of the Conference of Superintendents and Principals of Schools for the Deaf. The following are the topics on Mr. Johnson's list for discussion in this order. The first of these was discussed in the meeting Thursday, Oct. 10.

1. General Outlines of Work for Institute.

2. Intelligence, the Basic Line of Education.

3. Teachers and Teaching.

4. Qualifications of Teachers.

5-6. Concerning Work of Committee on Efficiency of Schools for the Deaf.

7. Review—Relation of Intelligence to Efficiency—Lightner Witmer.

8. Relation of Physical Development to Education.

9. Review—An Efficient Course of Study—A. Duncanson Yocum.

10. Adenoid Growth—Literary Reading.

11. The Indiana School; It's Organization, Etc.

12. General Review of Institute Work.

The teachers of both schools in a brief business meeting agreed upon the following schedule of places and hours.

Friday, Oct. 11, 10:15 a. m. at Blind.

Saturday, Oct. 12, 10:15 a. m. at Deaf.

Sunday, Oct. 14, 2 p. m., at Blind.

Tuesday, Oct. 15, 10:15 a. m., at Deaf.

Wednesday, Oct. 16, 2 p. m., at Blind.

Thursday, Oct. 17, 10:15 a. m. at Deaf.

Friday, Oct. 18, 2 p. m., at Blind.

Saturday, Oct. 19, 10:15 a. m., at Deaf.

Under ordinary circumstances the citizens of Jacksonville would be most cordially welcomed to attend any or all of the sessions of this institute, but just in this time of anxiety due to the prevalence of influenza our schools are quarantined against visiting. All teachers, officers and employees who do not live in the school grounds must be examined every morning upon arrival.

TRACTOR DEMONSTRATION

Tuesday, Oct. 15th, Howard Zahn invites everybody to an all day tractor plowing demonstration to be held on the Ed Smith farm a mile northwest of Jacksonville. The Titan 10-20 horse power kerosene tractor will be demonstrated; guaranteed to operate on kerosene or distillate down to 39 degrees. Baume saves 40 to 50 per cent fuel over gasoline, cheaper than horse power. Turns in a 28 foot circle. Will do any kind of work.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Ella Colby to Charles W. Swain, pt. north east quarter 19-18, \$750.

George Alderson to J. C. Richards, east half southeast quarter, northeast quarter 13-15-S, \$4,100.

F. E. Smithers to Wilbur Rawley, lot 6, block 20, old plat Waverly, \$1,100.

Furrier, Mrs. Abbott. Ill. 881

CARE GIVEN TO SOLDIERS OUTLINED

Mrs. Antoinette Funk in Interesting Statement Tells How Well U. S. Watches Over Men Who Enter the Service.

When a man is selected for military service the immediate anxiety, the immediate concern, is his destination, his housing, feeding, clothing and health.

The new soldier is under the direction of the Provost Marshal General's department from the time he is accepted until he takes train for the camp he is assigned to. Then the transportation department takes him in charge. If his journey is a long one he travels by Pullman or tourist sleeper. Meals are provided to him along the way, at a maximum cost of sixty cents by the government.

Under a recent ruling the selected man is immediately given an arm-band. This is an insignia of military standing and is worn until he is fitted with a uniform. This arm-band carries the same authority, protection and responsibility that the uniform does. The enemy would have a right to fire upon him or take him prisoner, and anyone selling him liquor would be subject to prosecution under the federal law.

At the Cantonment.

Arriving at his cantonment the soldier is assigned to quarters, usually in a two-story wooden building, with plenty of air and sun-light, and with the cleanest of floors—floors that would meet the old-time test "clean enough to eat from." He sleeps in a well ventilated room with other soldiers, but not too many, the number being regulated by the cubic feet of air space in the chamber. The army bed is an extra wide cot with good steel springs and bedding suited to the weather and climate; never less than two blankets are assigned him, all wool blankets, khaki color. Sometimes he gets three and two thick comforters more if weather demands.

Lavatories are located at the rear of these quarters, with water pressure and fixtures of a design similar to that used in the best hotels in the country, and for every company unit there are from four to six shower baths. Cleanliness of person and surroundings are absolute requirements of the United States army. Every possible precaution is taken by the sanitary corps to insure that the camp conditions are 100 per cent sanitary.

Drainage is installed along strictly scientific lines, and the most scientific disposition is made of all camp sewage. During previous wars more men have died from preventable disease than from bullet wounds. During the civil war soldiers perished by the thousands from typhoid, camp fever, dysentery and kindred diseases resulting from unsanitary conditions about the camp. Those days are gone. Surgeon General Gorgas, who made the building of the Panama Canal possible by draining the Canal Zone and fitting it for human habitation, is in charge of the army sanitation.

Physical Examinations. As soon as the soldier is assigned to quarters he is given the most searching physical examination. All scientific medical tests are applied to detect disease. For instance, if there are indications of tubercular infection the patient is put under observation that there may be no mistake in the diagnosis. If there is incipient trouble he is sent to one of the army sanitariums and restored to health. If his case is advanced he is relieved from military service or exempted until physically fit.

Besides the examining surgeon there is the dentist. Teeth are put in good condition here, and there are dentists overseas to keep them in good condition. Also there is an orthopedic surgeon to examine the soldier's feet. It has been said that during past wars there were more desertions from foot trouble than all other causes combined. The attention given to the selection of shoes for the soldiers in the American army is a sidelight on the care we give our fighting men.

When a soldier gets his first pair of shoes he gets a pair that fit his feet. No account is taken of the size he wore before. His feet are placed in a cunningly devised form where the length and width are exactly determined. He bears his weight on this little machine and an officer and a non-commissioned officer take the size record of both feet, his name, company and regiment. Then he puts on a pair of shoes of the size called for. But that doesn't end it. There is a further device that checks on the measuring machine and catches any human error in recording. This is put inside his shoe and he runs down an incline of 30 degrees, striking his heels on the cleats nailed to it. If this little machine does not make itself felt and the shoe after examination by an officer is found to be satisfactory the man is fitted and his size is added to his service record.

Our soldiers are provided with clean socks, and at the end of long marches the feet are carefully inspected by the surgeon in charge.

No army in the world has ever attained such a health record as ours, the death rate being eight out of every thousand, here and abroad. This would be even lower but for the large number of men who come down with diseases to which they were exposed before leaving home.

The average gain in weight of the American soldiers since entering the service is twelve pounds per man.

Yours sincerely,
Antoinette Funk,
Director Propaganda and
Speakers' Department.

PHYSICIANS FAVOR CLOSING PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Believes This Should Be Done and Similar Action Taken to Prevent Spread of Influenza—Twenty Six Cases in City.

The members of the Morgan County Medical Society held a meeting last night at which time the local situation with reference to Spanish influenza was discussed. Dr. T. J. Pinner, is president of the society and Dr. W. L. Frank, secretary. The society went on record in recommending the closing of schools and the abandoning of all public gatherings until the epidemic danger is past.

There are now twenty six cases of influenza in the city, a great many cases in the county. Dr. Baker, district health officer, J. E. Martin, commissioner of health and safety and Capt. King, city health physician were in conference on the situation yesterday. It was agreed that too great care cannot be taken to prevent the spread of the disease and it is possible that today the authorities will adopt the recommendations of the medical society.

The resolution passed by the medical society was in the following language, "Resolved that the Morgan County Medical Society because of the prevalence of influenza in this city and surrounding territory recommends to the health authorities of the city, the closing of the schools, picture theatres, churches, and the abandonment of all public gatherings until the disease has been suppressed."

THE LIBERTY BOND CAMPAIGN

St. Louis, Mo.
C. A. Fiedler,
Jacksonville, Ill.

Germany has made us a gold brick peace offer. The great drive for dollars is slackening. It is German propaganda. It shall not win. Our boys in France now engaged in this tremendous offensive are wondering what is the trouble at home. We must not discourage them or encourage our enemy. A knock out blow with dollars is necessary. Any county that fails takes away fighting efficiency from its soldier boys. We must raise our entire quota this week and every county over the top. Think of being able to wire across the seas to our two million boys this great news. Do it quickly and wire the glad news here.

Compton, Chairman.

To the Folks at Home: The above is a telegram from the treasury department.

Do you realize that the Hun is still tricking you; that it is as necessary to win here as it is to win over there; that you could not conduct your business without your banker or your reserve funds?

Without your help who will be paymaster for the army of fighters over there? Did you get that order?

"On top boys—that German trench behind barbed wire strongly fortified is your objective."

Suppose the reply came back:

"Our tanks, ammunition, clothing and food won't arrive till Oct. 18; then we can go over."

Do you want to be protected by that kind of an army?

Your answer: NO. Then why wait till the last day to subscribe this loan?

Get busy—take the best investment in the world. Take it now—and your share.

C. A. FIEDLER,
Director of Sales.

HOTEL ARRIVALS

The following are some of the arrivals at the Dunlap and Pacific hotels Thursday.
Daunp, S. M. Spurgeon, Quincy, H. Powell, Springfield, E. J. Kabbe, Springfield; Miss H. L. Rickaby, Taylorville, J. J. Johnson, Taylorville, Dr. E. O. Gable, Chicago; J. A. Denham, Bloomington; E. W. Gowdy, Bloomington; C. H. Doane, Chicago; George Holmes, Princeton; F. G. Hill, Chicago.

Escher, Chicago; W. P. Cornington, Belleville; W. R. Smith, Belleville; Aaron A. Cohen, Chicago; F. P. Gilbert, Springfield; A. Kline, Cleveland; L. D. Edwards, Chicago; W. C. Simpson, Springfield; Frank and J. Lickett, Peoria; Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Attans, Athens; G. R. Kelly, Armstrong.

THE COMMUNITY SING.

At the community sing which is scheduled for Oct. 20 on Illinois college campus, the Star Spangled Banner and the various songs which have been popular since the war began will be sung. The words of these songs will be printed from time to time in the daily papers and it is expected that the people of the city will cut them out and familiarize themselves with the words.

The Fact that we are selling so many Young Men's Suits

proves their popularity — for none are so critical in the selection of their styles as the young man.

Come here and see the new styles and colorings and dependable fabrics—

\$20.00 to \$40.00

NEW FALL CAPS

—3-4, 4-4 and one-piece shapes, fancy matched, over-plaids and mixtures—

\$1.00 to \$3.00

STETSON and BORSALINO HATS

New fall weights — rough and smooth finishes.

New Misses' Aviation and Overseas Caps

Styleplus Clothes

MYERS BROTHERS.

BUTLER COUNTY, KANSAS, TRULY PATRIOTIC

Butler County, Kansas, may well be proud of its patriotic record in the way of financial contributions to the world's great cause.

In the last Red Cross drive the Butler County quota was \$7,160; the subscription was \$11,600; "over the top" balance \$3,900.

In the last Y. M. C. A. drive the quota was \$5,500, with a subscription of \$8,000 or over the top \$2,500.

In the first Liberty Loan campaign the county exceeded its quota liberally the exact figures are not at present available.

In the second Liberty Loan the over subscription was \$28,250. The third Liberty Loan brought an over the top excess of \$62,250.

In the War Stand drive the quota given out was \$468,000. The "over the top" excess was \$179,999.

The combined "over the top" balance of Butler County, therefore, exclusive of the unobtainable First Liberty Loan figures is \$276,999.

Promising figures, these, in view of the United War Work Campaign arranged in behalf of the Y. M. C. A., the Y. W. C. A., the National Catholic War Council, the Jewish Welfare Board, the War Community Service, the American Library Association and the Salvation Army.

See our line of underwear in our west window.

Tomlinson.

NEWS FROM FRED BRAY

Mrs. E. B. Landis has received a letter from Fred Bray came home in France. He speaks in glowing terms of many things and especially of a visit to the home of the renowned heroine, Joan of Arc. He had also been permitted to enjoy a visit to Paris and had seen many other things in beautiful France which he will long remember.

Mallory Bros. buy and sell everything; bargains in second hand shoes, stoves, etc.

THE PRICE OF CORN.

A good many have been startled by the drop in the price of corn but a gentleman well posted in such matters, predicts 75 cents before spring. Notwithstanding the shortage in this state, Kansas and Missouri he calls attention to the fact that there is a large amount of old corn and also to the fact that an insignificant portion of the crop is used for human food, the great percentage being fed to stock. He says that cattle are so high that farmers are afraid of feeders and anything that will at all do to kill is going to the slaughter house.

Not long since a man remarked that he had a lot of old corn on hand and very much wanted two dollars for it. He might have received that at one time but now he didn't know when he would get it.

FRANKLIN WOMAN DIED SUDDENLY

Miss Sarah Lois Scott Found Dead in Bed Thursday Morning—Coroner Rose Held Inquest.

Miss Sarah Lois Scott was found dead in bed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Rawlings, near Franklin early Thursday morning. Circumstances surrounding her death were such that it was deemed best to hold an inquest. Coroner Rose was notified and held an inquest Thursday afternoon.

The jury was composed of William M. Rees, foreman; Ernest W. Jones, S. H. McDavitt, John Ebrey, Samuel Darley and Mrs. L. B. Spires, clerk. After hearing the evidence of Mrs. Evaline Rawlings and David Rawlings, the jury returned a verdict that death resulted from strangulation while the deceased was in a state of unconsciousness.

It developed from the testimony of Mr. Rawlings that Miss Scott had been subject to fainting spells. It was the opinion of the witness that she suffocated while in one of these spells.

Miss Scott was born in Franklin, July 27, 1872, and had spent her entire life in that vicinity. For the past six years she had made her home with her uncle and aunt.

Her father preceded her in death a few weeks ago. She is survived by her mother and five brothers, Edward of Kansas, Gilbert of LaSalle, Ira of Springfield, Winfield who is in the service, and Fred at home, and three sisters, Mrs. Roy McKinney, Lynnville; Emma of Newman, and Hattie at home.

Arrangements for the funeral have not been made.

BURGOO SUPPER

Under auspices Nortonville I. O. O. F. for benefit of soldiers. Good entertainment; program, Saturday, Oct. 12.

JOHN MARTIN HAS INFLUENZA

John H. Martin who is stationed at Ft. Leavenworth, Kans., has written his parents that he is afflicted with influenza. However, the young man wrote the letter himself and said that he had gone to bed as soon as he felt sick and no serious results were anticipated.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin have also received a letter from Rev. Davis Martin of Paterson, N. J. He says the influenza is raging in that city and he has officiated at 11 funerals within the last few days.

BOYS DAMAGING CARS.

Boys thruout the city have formed the habit of congregating around churches and other public buildings and damaging the automobiles left while the owners attend church or other meetings. Recently several automobile owners have been troubled by having the air let out of their tires, necessitating considerable work and in some instances requiring the services of a mechanic. The names of the mischief makers are known and if the practice continues arrests will follow.

CAR WRECKED CONCRETE MIXER

Thursday morning a North Main street car collided with the concrete mixer owned by Joseph DeGoveia and damaged it to the amount of about \$100 to \$150. Mr. DeGoveia was moving the mixer from the Jenkinson-Bode building to the plant of J. Capps & Sons where he is building an addition to the weave room.

He had the mixer tied on behind his road wagon and was hauling it west in North street. He cleared the street car tracks with his wagon but the car which was coming from the north struck the mixer head on doing considerable damage.

In addition to the damage done by the collision Mr. DeGoveia was compelled to have a force of men idle at the Capps job as he was unable to secure another concrete mixer in the city. The mixer was hauled to the shop of James Seaver for repairs.

Boys' \$1.00 union suits at Tomlinson's.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER Having won the nomination for county commissioner by a splendid majority at the September primary, I am still in the race and will appreciate the support of all patriotic people regardless of party. "Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of one who went over the top for them during the sixties."

County Commissioner.
J. M. Swales.
Republican Candidate for

PETURNS FROM CHICAGO.

H. S. Greenstone, proprietor of the Emporium, returned Thursday from Chicago, where he was called by the death of his sister-in-law, Mrs. A. I. Greenstone. Mr. Greenstone brought back with him the three children of his deceased relative, who will make their home with him for the present. A. I. Greenstone has been ill since before his wife's death but it is expected that will be able to make the trip from Chicago to his brother's home in this city this week.

IS NOW SERGEANT

H. B. Jaeger, of the Jacksonville Barber Supply company, is in receipt of a letter from his son, Leon L., announcing the fact of his promotion to the rank of sergeant. Leon left Jacksonville with the boys who departed on September 2, as an orderly and is stationed at Camp Grant, Rockford, Ill. Mr. Jaeger is justly proud of the record that his boy has made, thru his industry and attention to detail, and Leon's many friends in Jacksonville will rejoice with him.

In an item in Thursday's Journal, referring to pulleys and tractors being received